



## Sergeant Henry B. Pecher Is Prisoner Of Japs; Reported "Missing" August 27, 1942

Sergeant Henry B. Pecher, 23-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Pecher, Liberty township, Fairfield R. 2, is a prisoner of the Japs, his parents were informed Tuesday morning by the War department.

Sergeant Pecher is the first Adams county man to be taken prisoner by the Japanese. He had been reported "missing in action" in the Pacific on August 27, 1942. At that time his parents were informed by the War department that their son was "missing" but did not reveal any additional information.

This morning's telegram revealed that Sergeant Pecher is in the hands of the Japanese but it failed to contain any information as to his whereabouts. Some time elapses before definite information as to the prison camp in which he is confined is revealed.

**Was in Java**  
In other instances the International Red Cross contacts American prisoners of war and then imparts whatever information it can gather to the parents.

Sergeant Pecher enlisted in the Army June 1, 1939, at Baltimore.

On April 10, 1942, a letter was received from the soldier, the last his parents have had. It was so heavily censored that there was little or no information in it. He did tell his parents that he had suffered "some misfortune." In February of the same year Sergeant Pecher was reported to have been in Java.

Sergeant Pecher had been a member of the 72nd Bombardment Squadron, Army Air Corps.

## ARNOLD CASE IS ARGUED IN ADAMS COURT MONDAY

The Adams county court Monday was considering arguments on whether a wife can sue her husband.

Arguments on the question were presented Monday morning on the preliminary objections to a bill in equity in which, Mrs. M. Louella Arnold, Biglerville, is seeking an accounting by her husband, R. E. Arnold, Biglerville, for approximately \$30,000 which she claims was held by her and her husband in joint banking accounts and which she says her husband withdrew in 1941 without her knowledge.

Eugene V. Bullett, Esq., representing Mr. Arnold, cited a number of cases and statutes which he said held that a wife cannot sue her husband nor claim she was defrauded in similar cases. Attorney Kurtz, York, attorney for Mrs. Arnold, also cited a number of cases in which he said the opposite was held.

**Desertion Cases Heard**  
Donald P. McPherson, Jr., Esq., was appointed master in the divorce action of Sarah Catherine (De-shong) Keefe versus Herbert Ephraim Keefe.

Roscoe McIntire, Fairfield R. D., arrested 17 days ago on a process when he failed to appear in a desertion and non-support suit brought by his wife, was ordered to pay \$10 a week for the support of his wife and child, pay all costs within 30 days and enter into a \$500 bond on his own recognizance.

Fred Kille, resident of Gettysburg, was ordered to pay \$5 a week for the support of his wife and two children after a desertion and non-support hearing. He also was ordered to pay the costs and enter into a \$500 bond.

Patrick J. Bolan, Gettysburg, was ordered to pay \$20 a week for the support of his wife, pay costs and enter bond, in another desertion and non-support case.

The report of the board of viewers on the damages to the real estate of Daniel J. Sell, Germany township, caused by the relocation of Legislative Route 42(1) in that township was filed by the viewers, John P. Butt, Esq.; P. S. Orner and Fred C. Riley who awarded \$650 damages.

## Grandson Figures In Tunisian Drive

Lt. Gilbert Freeman, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Freeman, Sacramento, California, and a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gilbert, Baltimore street, participated in the Tunisian campaign in North Africa.

Freeman was pilot on a Flying Fortress during an air attack which resulted in the sinking of two ships in the harbor at Tunis.

## ADAMS APPLE CASE SETTLED IN COURT HERE

A settlement was announced Monday afternoon in the county court in the matter of the dissolution of the Adams Apple Products corporation of Aspers.

Franklin R. Bigham, Esq., is attorney for the respondents and Eugene V. Bullett, Esq., attorney for the petitioner in the case in which Eugene G. Grab, one of the directors in the concern sought its dissolution because of alleged irregularities on the part of David I. Mann and his son, Emanuel L. Mann, both of Philadelphia, the other two directors of the concern.

At a hearing Monday the two attorneys announced the agreement and requested that the hearing be continued to enable them to complete the terms of the settlement. The court set June 14 as the time for the case to be heard again.

A surety of the peace charge brought against Earl Sigler, Gettysburg, by his wife, was dismissed by the court and the two were told to divide the costs between them and pay the costs within a week.

**Two Processes Issued**  
A desertion and non-support charge against Edgar F. Shepard, Biglerville R. 2, was continued until June 14.

The failure of Fred H. Shull, York R. 5, to appear on an improper pass charge caused forfeiture of his bond and the issuance of a process for his arrest.

A process was also issued for the arrest of Harold Mauss, York, who had been ordered to show cause why he was not keeping up payments he had previously been ordered to make to his wife in a desertion and non-support case. Mauss failed to appear at court.

Maurice King, Latimore township, was ordered to pay \$20 each month for the support of his wife and four children following a hearing in a desertion and non-support case. He was also told to enter into a \$500 bond on his own recognizance and pay the costs of the case within a week. His wife is to have the crops from their farm, pay the taxes and keep up an insurance policy, the court directed.

## SOLDIER HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Private Charles G. Lawrence, 31, Camp Edwards, Massachusetts, was removed to the Camp Edwards hospital Sunday for treatment for a compound fracture of the left arm and a bruised jaw suffered when his car collided last Friday evening with an automobile driven by Henry W. Smith, 19, Hanover R. 4.

Private Lawrence, who was spending a 10-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley G. Lawrence, New Oxford R. 2, was removed to the Hanover hospital immediately after the collision on the McSherrytown-Irishtown road, near Irishtown. He was one of three persons injured in the collision.

Two other occupants of the Lawrence car were hurt. They were Loretta Lawrence, 16, New Oxford R. 2, niece of the driver, who received a laceration of the jaw, and Dorothy Weaver, 16, New Oxford R. 2, who received contusions of the right side.

The three injured persons were treated by Dr. Wilbur H. Miller, New Oxford. Lawrence was removed to the hospital in the Hanover ambulance.

Private J. A. Treas, of the Gettysburg detail of the Pennsylvania State Police, who investigated, said that Private Lawrence was driving north ascending a hill when he apparently lost control of his car. The machine crossed the center of the highway and was in collision with the Smith car, which was traveling south, according to the investigating officer. Smith had pulled far to his right to avoid a collision, Private Treas said.

The damage was estimated at \$1,000. Both cars were towed from the scene.

## ASKS DIVORCE

A libel in divorce has been filed at the court house for Kathryn Elizabeth Eckenrode, Gettysburg R. 4, versus Paul Preston Eckenrode, Modesto, California. Infidelity is charged.

## Churchill At Thurmont

Winston Churchill, prime minister of Great Britain, in his address before a joint session of Congress Wednesday noon, made the following reference to Gettysburg:

"I was driving the other day not far from the field of Gettysburg, which I know well, like most of your battles. It was the decisive battle of the Civil War. No one after Gettysburg doubted which way the dread balance of war would incline. Yet far more blood was shed after the Union victory at Gettysburg than in all the fighting which went before.

"It behooves us therefore to search our hearts, and brace our sinews, and take the most earnest counsel one with another in order that the favorable position which has already been reached both against Japan and against Hitler and Mussolini in Europe shall not be let slip."

Mr. Churchill and President Roosevelt visited a fishing lodge near Thurmont, Md., last Sunday where they were seen by several Gettysburg residents who happened to be at the lodge at the time.

## PRICE PANELS NAMED TO ACT ON COMPLAINTS

Price panels, to act as clearing houses for problems arising because of the new OPA regulations calling for the posting of prices in dollars and cents on every article of merchandise have been appointed for the two county War Price and Rationing boards, it was announced.

George N. Coshun, Gettysburg; A. J. Carbaugh, Gettysburg; Miss Alice Black, Flora Dale; Mrs. Hope Morgan, Cashtown, and Mrs. Ralph Z. Oyler, consumers' representative on the board as a member ex-officio, have been selected for the Gettysburg board.

Those named to the New Oxford board include Mrs. Eileen Byers Anderson, Littlestown; Robert P. Smith, McSherrytown; the Rev. Richard Shaffer, East Berlin; G. Edward Taughinbaugh, Hunters-town, and H. B. Flaherty, consumers' representative for the New Oxford board as a member ex-officio. Announcement of the appointments was made by Judge W. C. Sheely, as chairman of the county Council of Defense and Donald P. McPherson, Jr., Esq., chairman of the county rationing board.

Under the proposed set-up for the new panel all outstanding complaints regarding price markings will be handled by the panels. If they find that the complaint is caused by a misunderstanding they will meet with the merchant and instruct him in the proper methods of establishing prices. If they find a willful violation of the price marking and ceiling regulations they will refer the matter to OPA headquarters at Harrisburg for investigation and prosecution, it was stated.

Minor complaints on the price regulations will be handled by an employee of the rationing boards who will devote full time to the work, it was said.

Announcement was also made of the resignation of Mrs. Clarence Lawyer, Littlestown, from the New Oxford board because of the pressure of farm duties. Mrs. A. E. Chronister, Littlestown, was appointed to fill Mrs. Lawyer's place.

## War Board Probes Ten Deferments

Reports in ten deferment cases were presented Friday evening at a meeting of the USDA War Board held in Farm Bureau building, in Gettysburg. One application for farm machinery was also considered.

All the deferment cases had been referred to the Gettysburg board by Selective Service boards for investigation. In most of the cases the investigations found that the youth in question was a bona fide farmer necessary for the conduct of the farm. In several instances the potential draftees were farm owners and operators.

Chairman Harrison F. Snyder presided.

## LICENSED TO WED

Paul E. Crum, Bendersville, and Arlene E. Wetzel, Orttanna, have secured a marriage license in Frederick.

## CAPT. COSHEY PRAISES TOWN IN ROTARY TALK

High tribute was paid to the people of Gettysburg Monday evening "for their excellent cooperation and many kindnesses" to the officers and men of the 55th College Training Detachment of the U. S. Air Corps at Gettysburg college.

Captain John R. Coshey, commandant of the 55th Training Detachment, voiced the tribute at the regular meeting of Rotary held at the YWCA. He was principal speaker at the dinner.

Every one of the men stationed here "likes the town," Captain Coshey declared. He said that "excellent meals, excellent treatment and cooperation from everyone" are enjoyed by the Air Corps students when they come here.

**All Potential Pilots**  
During his talk the captain outlined the training program of the youths in the 55th Training Detachment. They start as rookies at a basic training camp. After receiving that training they come here for courses of military training, physical training and academic studies. During their course here they also receive 10 hours of flight instruction.

After leaving here the men are sent to a classification center from which they will be shipped to train as bombardiers, navigators, pilots, gunners or other aeronautical specialists. When they come to Gettysburg they are all potential pilots, Captain Coshey said. The training here and the classification they receive helps determine just what type of work they are best suited for.

President Paul Kinsey presided at the meeting with about 30 present.

## SAVAGE DRIVE "SUCCESSFUL" CHAIRMAN SAYS

Nine truck loads of salvage were collected by firemen Wednesday evening during the "most successful" salvage drive yet conducted by the Gettysburg Salvage committee. Dr. J. Walter Coleman, chairman, reported Thursday.

Twelve firemen assisted by a number of Boy Scouts and other youngsters toured the streets of town to collect salvage materials placed on sidewalks in front of homes. Later the material was placed at the Schwartz warehouse prior to sale.

About 500 pounds of paper, 200 pounds of rags, nearly a ton of scrap iron and other ferrous metals and an estimated four tons of tin cans and other tin products were secured.

The additional tin brings the amount secured so far to about three-fourths the amount needed to fill a car and arrangements are being completed to bring tin collected from other sections of the county to Gettysburg to fill the car, Doctor Coleman said.

**Next Drive in June**  
When all unusable metal is removed from the pile of tin already collected and loading completed the car will be shipped to the nearest processing center, he said.

The men and boys engaged in the drive worked from 6 until 9 o'clock before the drive was completed and the salvage stored.

## SECOND CADET GROUP LEAVES

The second contingent of Air Corps students from the 55th College Training Detachment, Gettysburg college, left Gettysburg early Saturday morning for an undisclosed destination.

The men were sent from this station after receipt of a special call from the Army Air Corps for additional men to start advanced training at flying fields "somewhere in the country."

The group was in charge of Sergeant John R. Prueher, one of the students who arrived here with the second contingent early in April, and who had previous training prior to being assigned here.

While en route to their destination the men will purchase their meals aboard the train on government meal tickets issued them prior to leaving Gettysburg.

Lieutenant J. R. Floyd was at the station to bid farewell to the contingent.

Wives of two of the men were also at the station.

## Leatherneck



PFC. Willard C. Weikert, son of Mrs. Mary Weikert, Taneytown road, who is now stationed with the U. S. Marines in the southwest Pacific area. He enlisted in the Marines in January, 1942, and received his basic training at Parris Island, South Carolina. Private Weikert graduated from Gettysburg high school in 1935.

## NEXT R.C. BLOOD DONOR DAY TO BE HELD ON MAY 28

The fifth Red Cross Blood Donor Day in Adams county has been set for Friday, May 28, and appointments "to save a life" will be made by mail Monday with 160 Adams countians.

Notices of appointments at the blood donor station will go out to all sections of the county. Radford H. Lippy, donor service chairman for the county chapter, said Wednesday. The first appointments will be made for noon and will continue through the afternoon until 4:30 o'clock.

Monthly visits by the mobile Red Cross unit from Harrisburg began in January and in the first four months 494 pints of blood were received from volunteer donors in Adams county.

Mr. Lippy asked Wednesday that persons who receive notices of their appointments and find they cannot report at the blood donor station for any reason, report that fact to him by Thursday of next week so that there will be an opportunity to find a substitute donor.

## Hope for Full Schedule

"There is expense involved in bringing the unit to Gettysburg and there are many persons who are eager to offer their blood so that any persons who find they cannot keep their appointment should notify me at once. Then we can arrange for another donor to keep the schedule for the afternoon filled," Mr. Lippy said.

Ladies from the Reformed church will be in charge of the kitchen at the donor station and St. James Lutheran members will serve in the dining room.

## FIELDS WASHED BY HEAVY RAINS

The rains Wednesday washed soil from hundreds of acres of land in western and northern reaches of the county, officials of the Gettysburg Water company estimated Thursday.

Turbidity, the word used to designate the amount of mud in water, reached 4,000 during the early hours of this morning. Water company officials said a turbidity of 2,000 is normally considered high and the amount today was one of the highest recorded at the Marsh Creek pumping station.

The amount represents 4,000 gallons of earth in every one million gallons of water. The excessive ratio was reached about 3 a. m. Thursday and continued for four hours, before dropping, Vernon Corle, manager of the company, said.

Marsh creek, at the station, reached the level of the road leading to the bridge across the stream, Manager Corle said. The Gettysburg weather station reported 1.05 inches of rain fell Wednesday afternoon and night.

## RETURNS TO ALCAN

Paul A. Snyder, South street, has returned to Port St. John, B. C., Canada, where he has been stationed since August 2, 1942, as a production cost engineer on the Alcan highway under the United States Public Roads Administration. He spent a 30-day vacation with his family here. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snyder, Baltimore street.

## "GUS" TAWNEY IS DISCHARGED BY COMMITTEE

J. A. "Gus" Tawney, 87-year-old borough street commissioner for 19 years, who was discharged last Saturday by action of the borough highway committee, remained off duty today after a special meeting of the committee Monday evening failed to bring a "reconsideration" of the group's action.

H. M. Oyler, president of council, said Tuesday that he asked the committee to reconsider its action. He stated that the group not only declined to do that but one member threatened his resignation from council if Mr. Tawney is reinstated. Mr. Oyler did not identify that councilman.

## Notified by Letter

Members of the highway committee are: Joseph D. Kendeheart, chairman; Charles W. Sterner, Jr., and L. D. Shealer. Mr. Tawney said today that he was "fired" on the vote of two members of the group. Following receipt of the following letter on Saturday Mr. Tawney did not work on Monday:

"The Highway committee of the borough council of the borough of Gettysburg has directed me to notify you that acting in pursuance of authority granted it by the council, it requests your resignation as street commissioner to take effect this date (May 15).

"I am directed also to ask you to turn over all keys to borough property to me or Mr. John H. Basehore, treasurer.

"The committee has relieved you of all duties in connection with borough work as of today. Very truly yours, Borough of Gettysburg, Wilmer Dracha, Sec'y."

## Refuses to Resign

Mr. Tawney said Tuesday he has not submitted his resignation and does not intend to. Although the letter from Mr. Dracha did not state a reason for his discharge, Mr. Tawney said he had heard unofficially it was because he "didn't do what he was told."

Friction between Tawney and Guy Bolen, borough truck and roller driver, was indicated to council at its May meeting when the borough fathers were told that Bolen had threatened to quit if Mr. Tawney continued as his boss.

At that time the council left the matter in the hands of the highway committee in the hope that a "compromise" could be worked out.

Mr. Tawney said Tuesday that Bolen is working in his (Tawney's) place. He said that he believes it should be "up to council to fire me, instead of two members of the highway committee." Although he indicated he is not ready to let the matter drop, he said he was not ready now to say what steps he expects to take.

## Served in Council

The veteran borough employee said he did not formally turn his keys over to anyone. He unlocked the doors at the borough building on Race Horse alley, Monday morning, and—leaving the keys in the door by mistake while he went uptown to talk to a councilman—found them gone upon his return.

Mr. Tawney has been employed in the town's highway department for more than 19 years. Prior to that time he served about 15 years as a member of council.

President Oyler said Tuesday afternoon no plans have been made for a special meeting of council on the matter.

## MAKE ROSTER OF WARDENS

Compilation of a new list of air raid wardens in the borough was started last Friday evening at the May meeting of the town council of defense held in the Legion building. Resignations of a number of wardens who have moved out of town or have been called to the armed forces, and the addition of a number of new men to the force was reported by the various sector wardens.

Cards filled out by the wardens when they were sworn in recently, were turned over to Chairman Leroy Winebrenner together with call charts so that the compilation will be as complete as possible.

A number of regulations pertaining to activities of the control center were discussed by the council. Most of the regulations pertained to methods of calls and other organizational matters.

Plans for classes to instruct the new wardens were discussed but no action was taken.

## Sgt. Clair Wrights Awarded Distinguished Flying Cross; Spotted, Bombed Convoy

Staff Serg. ("Sam") Clair L. Wrights, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wrights, East Berlin, was awarded the distinguished flying



Cross for spotting a Japanese convoy in the South Pacific last March 3, radioing the position of the surface ships from his Flying Fortress and then bombing the ships.

## 4th Son Is Ready

Lloyd Wrights, who will be 18 years old November 23, "is anxious to get into service," said Mrs. Wrights. She says she does not know how long it will take him to get into service but that he wants to join his brothers in action against the Axis.

The Wrights have three younger sons and three daughters at home. Two other daughters are married.

## SEEK MOUNTED ESCORT MAY 31 FOR GOVERNOR

The mounted and uniformed unit of the Pennsylvania Defense Corps at Hanover will be invited to participate in the annual Memorial Day parade here on May 31 to serve as the official escort for Governor Edward Martin, it was decided at a meeting of the Sons of Veterans' Memorial Day committee, last Thursday evening.

The mounted unit is being asked here in the absence of the Governor's Troop of the Pennsylvania National Guard which now is on active duty with the Army on the Pacific coast.

The committee also made arrangements to secure an additional band. The Gettysburg high school band, the field music of the 55th College Training Detachment of the U. S. Air Corps and several drum and bugle corps are expected to march. The entire Air Corps unit at the college will march in the procession at the invitation of the local committee.

The usual rituals by the Sons of Veterans and the American Legion will be conducted in the National cemetery before the exercises at the rostrum, it was agreed.

The Rev. Ralph R. Gresh, pastor of St. James Lutheran church, will give the invocation at the rostrum and the Rev. Paul D. Leedy, local Methodist pastor, will pronounce the benediction.

## Meet Again May 28

At a previous meeting Burgess Fred G. Pfeffer had been named as the master of ceremonies.

The committee voted to invite Governor Martin here for a luncheon before the exercises in the cemetery and named J. E. Snyder, Burgess Pfeffer and William I. Shields to a reception committee.

The parade will move at 2:30 o'clock.

The next meeting of the committee will be held May 28. The session Thursday evening was held in the office of the secretary, William L. Meals, Esq., with Chairman George Coshun presiding.

## J. DONALD SWOPE PAYS DOG FINE

J. Donald Swope, Esq., Gettysburg, Thursday, paid a fine levied on a charge of illegally harboring a dog made against Attorney Swope by state dog investigator H. E. Oakes several weeks ago.

Attorney Swope, arrested with 24 other alleged violators of the law was the only one to ask for a hearing. After being found guilty at a hearing before Justice Basehore, he appealed to the court to hear the facts of the case.

The fine was \$5. The original costs of the case for those who pleaded guilty to the charge was \$3. Clerk of Courts Renner said Friday costs now would amount to about \$7.

## Lieut. Day Gets Five Enemy Planes

Lieut. William C. Day, Jr., Red Lion, continues to make a name for himself in knocking out Japanese planes in the Southwest Pacific area, according to an Associated Press dispatch from Allied headquarters in Australia.

The son of Rev. and Mrs. William C. Day has been listed by the Fifth Airforce headquarters as one of ten aces, each of whom has destroyed at least five Jap planes in aerial combat in that area. Lieut. Day has been credited with five enemy planes.



# Schools Complete Plans For Annual Graduation Fetes

"America, Our Heritage and Future" will be the theme of the annual commencement exercises of Gettysburg high school June 1. It was announced Thursday by Guile W. Lefever, principal of the school.

Dr. Thomas C. Cline will be the speaker at the commencement. Short addresses will also be presented by a number of members of the senior class who are to be selected in the next few days by the faculty committee including Mr. Lefever and Miss Ruth McIlhenny. Music by the senior chorus under the direction of Miss Dorothy Brindle will also be presented during commencement to be held at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

**Baccalaureate Speaker**

The Rev. Howard Schley Fox, pastor of Trinity Evangelical Reformed church and president of the Mercersburg Synod, will deliver the annual baccalaureate sermon Sunday, May 30 in St. James Lutheran church at 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Rev. Mr. Fox will also deliver the invocation and benediction at the commencement exercises.

Final examinations which will determine how many of the 112 seniors in the class will graduate will conclude at noon, May 27. It was announced by Mr. Lefever. The list of graduates will be available after the examinations.

## Biglerville

"Education for Victory" will be the theme of the annual commencement exercises to be held at Biglerville high school June 11 when 44 members of the senior class are expected to graduate.

Dr. Albert Lindsay Rowland, president of the Shippensburg State Teachers' college will speak on "Citizenship in the Post War World." L. V. Stock, supervising principal of the Biglerville schools has announced.

Short addresses on the theme of the commencement will be delivered by student speakers.

### 4 In Service

Four members of the senior class will receive their diplomas in absentia having enlisted in the armed forces or waived deferment. The students include Fred Slaybaugh, called to the U. S. Army and John Flury, Donald Starry and Leonard Arnold, enlisted in the Navy.

The baccalaureate service will be held Sunday, June 6 at the Biglerville Lutheran church with the Rev. H. O. Sipe delivering the sermon.

No list of graduates was given by the school pending the completion of final examinations. Further details of the commencement program will be announced later.

## Arendtsville

Twenty students will graduate Tuesday at the 26th annual commencement exercises at Arendtsville high school. Four of the members, Privates Ronald Baltzley, Jay Christner, Wilbur Keller and Robert Walker, are in the U. S. armed service.

The commencement will be held on the class theme, "America, Our Hope," according to an announcement by the class sponsor, H. Edgar Reigle.

Included in the graduating class are Herbert P. Lady, president; Dale Woodward, vice president; Janet Kane, secretary; Janice Deardorff, treasurer; Mary Jane MacBeth, historian; Richard Allison, Clara Dillon, Clarence Ford, Harry Griffith, James Hartman, Miriam Knouse, John Kump, Betty Shindedecker, Glenn Slaybaugh, Earl Stash, Pearl White, and the four service men.

The program will open with the processional "Pomp and Chivalry," and "The Star Spangled Banner" by the band under the direction of Paul Harner. The Rev. Dr. A. R. Longenecker will pronounce the invocation and benediction.

Herbert P. Lady, president of the board of directors will give the "President's Address" while Dale Woodward, vice president of the class, will deliver a tribute to the four men in the armed services.

"When the Lights Go On Again" will be sung by a Senior Girls Quartet comprising Janice Deardorff, Janet Kane, Miriam Knouse, and Betty Shindedecker. Student speeches will be made by Miriam Knouse who will have as her subject "American Unity"; Richard Allison, who will talk on "American Liberty"; and Janet Kane, who will speak on "American Democracy."

Vocal selections will be presented by a Senior Boys Quartet including Glenn Slaybaugh, Harry Griffith, Herbert Lady and Richard Allison. William W. Whiteley, acting principal of the Arendtsville schools will present the diplomas.

A patriotic choral fantasia will be presented by the Glee club under the direction of Mrs. Dorothy Thomas. Benediction and Recessional, "State Center," by the band will conclude the program.

### ESTATE BOND

An administration bond has been filed at the county house in the estate of the late John J. Cookson, late of Union township. Thomas L. Cookson, Littlestown, is administrator.

## COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICTS GET STATE CHECKS

Two sets of checks covering state aid for a number of Adams county school districts have been placed in the mail by the office of State Treasurer G. Harold Wagner, according to an announcement from Harrisburg.

Payments totaling \$17,698.19 are being made to 32 fourth class school districts in the county representing the balances due them on their February payments from the state for the support of the public school system. Checks for 81 per cent of the total amounts due were sent in February. Today's payments represent the remaining 19 per cent.

The list of districts follows with the amount each is receiving:

Abbottstown, \$327.90; Arendtsville, \$587.63; Bendersville, \$132.43; Berwick township, \$478.80; Biglerville, \$1,351.14; Butler township, \$624.75; Conewago Independent, \$19; Conewago township, \$478.80; Cumberland township, \$490.20; East Berlin, \$928.61; Fairfield, \$529.30; Franklin township, \$963.30; Freedom township, \$193.80; Germany township, \$323.00; Hamilton township, \$258.40; Hamiltonban township, \$1,026.00; Highland township, \$167.20; Huntingdon township, \$722; Latimore township, \$551; Liberty township, \$342; Littlestown Borough, \$52.25; McSherrystown Borough, \$786.60; Menallen township, \$786.60; Mt. Joy township, \$649.80; Mt. Pleasant township, \$528.20; New Oxford, \$932.48; Oxford township, \$133.00; Reading township, \$473.74; Straban township, \$581.40; Tyrone township, \$494.00; Union township, \$406.60; York Springs, \$610.28.

A second set of checks totaling \$5,279 is being distributed to 10 districts in the county to cover their proportionate share of the minimum teachers' salary payments by the state. The list and amounts follow:

Gettysburg, \$600; Biglerville, \$907.50; Butler township, \$200; East Berlin borough, \$1,755; Fairfield, \$363; Highland township, \$68; Liberty township, \$204; Littlestown, \$181.50; Menallen township, \$200; Mt. Joy township, \$800.

The first part of the payment will disclose the activities of the students in the various school departments in the war effort.

The second part will depict the normal activities of the residents of East Berlin in war plants, purchasing bonds and other war activities. All of the students in the school will take part in the program. Two chief narrators will be chosen to give the story developed by the characters shown in the program, Mr. Gruver said.

Twenty-nine students are expected to graduate. School Board President C. E. Smith will present the diplomas during the course of the pageant.

The baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, June 6 at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium with the Rev. Synder Allemen, of the Lutheran church and the Rev. Richard Shaffer, of the Reformed church in charge.

The annual award, advancement and playday will be held May 28 with all eighth grade students in the area as special guests, Mr. Gruver said.

## BANKERS AT MAY MEETING

Representatives of 11 of the 13 member banks of the Adams County Bankers' association with their ladies attended the May dinner meeting of the organization, Wednesday evening, in the social hall of the Redeemer Reformed church at Littlestown. Ladies of the church served a chicken dinner. Seventy-five persons attended.

The guest speaker was Roy D. Knouse, secretary of the A. W. Feuser company of Silver Run, Maryland. Using a colonial governor's order: "Don't grind up the seed corn" as his theme, he spoke of the need for similar foresight on the home front today. He mentioned specially the increasing government control of private and business affairs and declared country banks should be less closely restricted in their business operations.

Special music for the session included xylophone selections by Richard Willet. There was a brief business session.

J. Monroe Danner of the Peoples' State bank of East Berlin, a past president of the association, presided in the absence of President L. W. Kuhn of Bendersville and Vice President Bruce Taylor of Biglerville.

The Bendersville bank will have charge of arrangements for the June meeting.

## Carroll J. Redding Reports Stolen Car

State Police today sent out a teletype message to all stations in this area asking them to be on the lookout for a 1938 Dodge green coupe with the right rear fender crushed, stolen from Carroll J. Redding, 151 York street. Mr. Redding's car was stolen sometime between midnight and 6 o'clock Saturday morning from in front of the Redding residence. Chief of Police Glenn Guise is also investigating.

### JUNIOR R. C. WORK

The Junior Red Cross of Gettysburg high school has donated \$20 to the County Red Cross Chapter to purchase materials to fill kit bags for soldiers. It was announced today. The members of the Junior Red Cross group under the direction of Miss Ruth Scott, have filled 65 kit bags so far, it was stated.

## Receives Degree

George W. Reisinger, English instructor at the Biglerville high school, who received the degree of Master of Arts in English at commencement at Western Maryland college, Westminster, on Sunday. Mr. Reisinger attended West Chester State Teachers college from 1930 to 1933 and received the Bachelor of Science degree from Shippensburg State Teachers college in 1938. He expects to be inducted into the Army in June.



## LEGIONNAIRES TO MARCH, MAY 31

American Legion members were directed to report to the Legion home, Baltimore street, at 1:45 o'clock the afternoon of May 31 to take part in the annual Memorial Day parade.

That announcement was made Monday evening at a regular session of the Legion. A report was presented to the group that the Junior Legion drum corps would also take part in the parade.

Paul M. Rohrbach, representative of the local Legion to the District meeting Sunday at Scotland Orphans' School, reported on that meeting, and also told the local Legionnaires that membership in the Legion post remains at 238. There has been no change in the number of members during the last two weeks.

Joseph E. Smith, chairman of the committee in charge of placing flags on veterans' graves, announced that the flags have been secured and everything is in readiness to place the flags prior to Memorial Day.

## Arthur E. Rice Gets Commission

Arthur E. Rice, Jr., of Biglerville, son of Mrs. A. E. Rice, who resides on West Broadway, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army of the United States after successfully completing a course of training at the Adjutant General's School at Fort Washington, Md.

His letter of appointment was handed to him by Brigadier General H. C. Holdridge, commandant of the school and Director of Schools Training of the Army Administration Schools, at the graduation exercises of the class.

Lieutenant Rice was one of a selected group of enlisted men, drawn from virtually all arms and branches of the service and designated to attend the Officer Candidate School. During the twelve weeks intensive course he received training in the executive and administrative functions of the Army.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Rice are spending 10 days at the cottage of Major and Mrs. John S. Rice, California, after which he will report at New York city.

## C.C. Membership Still Mounting

The number of members in the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce has reached 94, with some prospects still to be solicited, it was announced Thursday.

Additional members announced by the secretary, Mrs. Robert P. Snyder, include the Aero Oil company, Richard A. Brown, Esq., Gettysburg Drain and Tile company, the Shoe Box, and the Gettysburg Gas corporation.

The Chamber will hold its May membership meeting Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at Mrs. Smith's restaurant, Chambersburg street.

Summation of the findings of the membership committee and a report by the retail committee are among the matters to be discussed at the session.

## Seaman Is Awarded Foreign Service Bars

Seaman First Class Ellwood Weikert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Weikert, Spring Grove R. 3, formerly of near Biglerville, has returned to New York after spending a short leave with his parents.

The young sailor made a trip to Africa and returned to receive two bars for action in foreign waters. He expects to go on the water soon, again with his destination unknown.

## Visiting Mother After Global Trip

Cloyd Taughinbaugh, New Oxford, arrived Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Edith Taughinbaugh, after having completed a 40,000-mile round-the-world ocean trip which required seven months.

Taughinbaugh, who has resided in San Francisco, California, for a number of years, shipped last fall as a junior engineer on one of the Victory ships. His trip carried him through a great portion of the war zones and sub-infested areas.

Enroute home his ship picked up survivors of a torpedoed ship who had been on a raft for 42 days.

## 16 BOYS GET "TENDERFOOT" SCOUT BADGES

Sixteen new members of Boy Scout Troop 78 received Tenderfoot badges Tuesday evening at a Parents' Night program held in the troop room in the Cumberland township election house, Steiwehr avenue.

Parents of the scouts pinned the badges on their sons during the candlelight investiture ceremony which also marked the formal appointment of Robert Baltzley as assistant scoutmaster of the troop, Richard Hess and Eugene Cole as acting junior assistant scoutmasters, Joseph Steiner, scribe and Joseph Liller, Quartermaster.

The scouts given Tenderfoot badges were: Joseph Steiner, Joseph Redding, Joseph Liller, Joseph Patti, Richard Arentz, Richard Hess, Eugene Cole, Raymond Carter, Robert Cole, Richard Cole, Samuel Becker, Patrick Wilkinson, Peter Kuhn, Charles Small and James Yingling. John McKenrick, who has been ill, received his badge in absentia.

Over 40 scouts and parents were present. Scoutmaster Edward Kerrigan presided.

### Priest Talks

The Rev. Norbert A. Sukowski, assistant pastor of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church, and a member of the troop committee, pronounced the invocation and gave a short talk on "The Part Parents Play in Scouting."

Richard and Robert Cole sang several duets. Richard Hess demonstrated proper methods of filling a pack and carrying it. A knot tying demonstration was given by Joseph Steiner. Assistant Scoutmaster Baltzley presented guitar solos while Scoutmaster Kerrigan showed uses of the scout neckerchief.

The value of scout training in a soldier's life was reported by Private Robert Little, U. S. Air Corps, Clearwater, Florida, in a letter read by Scoutmaster Kerrigan. Private Little, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Little, South Washington street, was a former member of Troop 78.

## ENTERTAINMENT AT DANCE HERE

Plans for the entertainment and dance to be held by the Gettysburg High School Alumni association, May 28, were completed Tuesday evening at a meeting of the committee in charge at the high school.

"Bill" Jones' orchestra, featured at recent USO dances, was selected to provide music for the affair. A program of entertainment including skits, vocal selections, and piano, harmonica and guitar solos was arranged.

Decorations for the affair will be handled by O. W. Plack, Harrisburg decorator, it was announced. The firm was instructed to decorate the high school gymnasium, scene of the dance, on a patriotic theme.

Refreshments will be served during the evening and the annual alumni award presentation to the seniors will be held. Hugh C. McIlhenny is chairman of the awards committee.

The price of admission was set at 50 cents including tax and it was announced that the entertainment-dance will be open to all of the alumni of the high school and that each alumnus may bring a guest.

The committee in charge of invitations reported that its list of names of alumni is incomplete and stated that all alumni are invited whether they receive a formal invitation or not.

Every effort will be made to make the program one of the best ever held, the committee said. The affair is the only event scheduled by the alumni this year. It will begin at 8 o'clock in the evening.

## G.R. Carnival To Be Held Friday

The postponed Girl Reserve carnival will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the YWCA building with the public invited to attend and enjoy the attractions that are now being prepared by members of the seventh and eighth grade and freshman clubs.

The seventh grade group will depict Switzerland with their booths where novelties will be on sale. Scenes from "Heide" will be dramatized.

## POULTRY MAY DISAPPEAR ON LOCAL MARKET

Unless OPA ceiling prices on dressed poultry are raised, local shoppers soon may be unable to buy dressed chickens at the Farmers' Market here, statements of farmers indicated Saturday.

One farmer said buyers from the city are offering liveweight prices for the poultry at the farm that leave little margin to offset the dressing costs and loss of weight in preparing chickens for sale on the market here within the price limits prescribed by the OPA.

**Some Vegetables Plentiful**

He also pointed out that there is "no ceiling on feed costs" but said there has been a steady rise in poultry feed prices since the ceiling on the marketable chickens has been imposed Saturday morning dressed fryers sold for 58c a pound, one cent under the OPA ceiling prescribed for this area in a schedule announced this week which lowered previously announced ceilings.

Roasting chickens brought 55 cents at some stands.

Green vegetables were abundant this morning. Rhubarb sold for 10 cents a bunch; asparagus, 25 and 30 cents a bunch; new spinach, five and 10 cents a box and 20 cents a quarter peck; lettuce, five, 10 and 15 cents a box; new onions, 10 cents a bunch; dandelion, eight and 10 cents a box.

One bushel of old potatoes marketed in the first minutes of market at the rate of 70 cents per peck.

**Plants on Sale**

Eggs were 38 and 40 cents per dozen.

Cabbage and tomato plants were on sale at 15 cents per dozen.

Spring flowers were on sale at many stands. The assortment included tulips, iris, lilies of the valley, violets, lilacs and other flowering shrubs.

Asparagus roots were offered at four cents per cluster. A few apples could be had at prices ranging downward from 40 cents a half peck.

## FOUR COUNTIES TO GRADUATE AT SHIPPENSBURG

Three Gettysburg girls and a youth from near Biglerville are included in the class to be graduated from the Shippensburg State Teachers' college next Tuesday at the institution's seventh annual commencement exercises.

The countians in the class are Miss Alita R. Thomas, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. N. B. S. Thomas, West High street; Miss Dorothy L. Shears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shears, Buford avenue, and Miss Anna G. Deatrick, Gettysburg R. 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Deatrick, all graduates of Gettysburg high school; and J. Charles Bushey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bushey, Biglerville R. D., an alumnus of the Arendtsville Vocational high school.

Miss Alita R. Thomas majored in the secondary education field. She was a member of the Campus Christian association cabinet, Womens' Athletic association cabinet, Cumberland editorial staff, college choir and the Choral club.

**Bushey in U. S. N. R.**

Miss Dorothy L. Shears majored in the cooperative elementary field. She was active in the Womens' Athletic association, Art club, Country Life club, Cooperative club and the Round Table.

Miss Anna G. Deatrick majored in the cooperative education field and was a member of the Cooperative club, Choral club, Masquers and the Womens' Athletic association.

J. Charles Bushey majored in the secondary education field. He was active in basketball, baseball, football training, Varsity club, Phi Sigma Pi, Kappa Delta Pi, men's Athletic association, and Boarding Men's council. He was the class vice-president during his sophomore and junior years and historian of the class. He was the representative to the Eastern States' conference and is listed in Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges. He is a member of the Naval Reserve Corps.

## Miss Ruth Hikes Is Baby Beef Club Head

Miss Ruth Hikes, Gardner R. D., was elected president of the York Springs Baby Beef club at an organization meeting last Friday evening at the home of Charles Reinicker.

Ray Reinicker was named vice president; Naomi Keefe, secretary; treasurer and Dale Reinicker game leader. The club comprises eight members. The next meeting will be held July 16 at the home of Elmer Hikes, Gardner R. D.

Russel Mollenauer, assistant county farm agent spoke on improved methods of caring for baby beef. The club was the last of the three in the county to organize this year.

**Miss Lynn Bream, East Middle street,** is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sterens, Berwick.

## George Barbehenn Suffers Stroke

George Barbehenn, 79, near Orrtanna, veteran attendant at Farmers' market here, is confined to bed at his home following a slight stroke which he suffered last Tuesday afternoon while planting onions. His condition was described as slightly improved but still serious.

Mr. Barbehenn attended market here May 8. His stand in the local market house, usually laden with vegetable and flower plants at this time of year, was unoccupied Saturday morning. He has been attending market here regularly for more than a quarter century.

## COUNTY SCHOOL CONVENTION AND PICNIC ON AUG. 5

The annual convention-picnic of the Adams county school directors will be held Thursday, August 5, at the South Mountain fair grounds, near Arendtsville, the county school board decided at a special meeting last Thursday evening.

Committees for the affair were selected at the session held in the office of County Superintendent of Schools J. Floyd Slaybaugh at the court house. The board named itself and its attorney, J. Francis Yake, Jr., Esq., as the general committee for the picnic, and delegated the superintendent to secure speakers. The county board includes Raymond M. Baugher, New Oxford; Luther E. Jacobs, Gettysburg R. 2; Zeal R. Peters, Aspers R. 1; Clarence J. Waybright, Gettysburg R. 2; and Chester B. Worley, York Springs.

Mr. Peters and Mr. Jacobs were named to head the ticket committee which also includes Rowe M. Martin, Biglerville; Hugh H. Adlesberger, Fairfield R. 2; and John B. Peters, Gardner.

**Other Committees**

Clarence Waybright was selected to head the reception committee with Robert A. Bream, assistant county superintendent of schools, as vice chairman. Other members of the committee include Howard Musselman, Hamiltonban township; James H. Hoffman, Liberty township; Oliver J. Heacock, Butler township, and Paul C. Worley, Union township.

Chester Worley and Richard C. Lighter, county vocational education advisor, were selected as chairman and vice chairman, respectively, for the horseshoe and quill committee. Others include Harold Taylor, Menallen township; Earl W. Guise, Straban township; R. A. Hershey, Conewago township. The grounds committee was named to include M. E. Knouse, Arendtsville; Miles A. Biesecker, Franklin township; Walter Swisher, Cumberland township; and H. C. Brinton, Berwick township.

Mrs. Elda M. Peters, Aspers R. 1; Ruby A. Kane, Arendtsville; Mrs. R. C. Lighter, Oak Ridge; Mrs. Robert Bream, Gettysburg R. D.; and Mrs. Clarence Waybright were selected for the children's entertainment committee.

The board voted to petition the county commissioners for \$25 a year for secretarial services.

## Open House Attracts Many At Biglerville

Several hundred persons attended the Open House held last Friday at Biglerville high school.

Raymond Mowery, superintendent of the Franklin county schools, was the speaker Friday evening. He outlined the meaning of service to one's country and listed the following "pillars" on which civilization is built: Sacrifice, endurance, resignation to service, valor, imagination, composure and expeditious service. Pillars on which strong men and women are built are Bible, home, church, Lord's Day, school, law and free press.

State Senator Paul M. Crider, Chambersburg, presented Joanna Meyer a \$25 War Bond as a prize winner in a recent essay contest and then gave another \$25 Bond personally to the prize winner.

## Nurse's Aide Class Will Open On Monday

The next nurse's aides' class will open next Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the board room at the nurses' home of the Warner hospital. Mrs. Henry M. Scharf, chairman of the committee, announced Tuesday.

Mrs. Sydney J. Poppay will instruct the class.

Any others, not already enrolled in the class, and who are willing to contribute part of their leisure time to this work are asked to communicate with Mrs. Scharf at the Hotel Gettysburg.

## G. Kenneth Newbould With Reading Eagle

G. Kenneth Newbould, former editor of the E. B. News accepted a position on the editorial staff of the Reading Eagle, it was announced Monday night at the regular meeting of Rotary.

Mr. Newbould for three months was a member of The Associated Press staff at New York city, where he was employed at the cable desk.

## PRESERVING AND CANNING SUGAR SET AT 25 LBS.

The Local War Price and Rationing Board has received instructions governing the issuance of sugar for use in home canning, making jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters. Each consumer may receive up to five pounds for making jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters, and each consumer may obtain one pound for each four quarts (eight pounds) of finished canned fruits. However, the aggregate allowance for both canning and making jellies, etc., may not exceed twenty-five pounds for the period from March 1st, 1943, to March 1st, 1944.

This program relates only to the canning and preserving of fruits for consumption by the individual. Each member of a family unit may give away, but not sell, up to fifty quarts of finished canned fruits in one calendar year.

**Extra 10 Pounds**

Later one stamp in Ration Book I will be made valid for ten pounds or less, at applicant's option, for sugar for home canning.

"The number of the stamp will be announced later. This stamp should be presented to the retailer. If a consumer does not need the full ten pounds for each person, he or she is expected to cooperate with the rationing program and with the war effort by purchasing only the amount actually needed.

Applications for canning sugar in excess of ten pounds per consumer will be distributed to the various retailers in Adams county and may be obtained by the consumer there.

**Data Required**

These applications must set forth (1) the number of quarts of processed foods the applicant and the persons on whose behalf the applications are made intends to produce from fresh fruits; (2) the amount of sugar to be used for making jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters; and (3) the names and number of Ration Books I of each person of that family unit.

These applications, together with ration book I issued to each person on whose behalf the application is made, should be mailed to the Rationing Board serving that area in which the family lives.

The Boards have received specific instructions that in any event no consumer may receive more than twenty-five pounds of sugar for canning and for making jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters. This means that the certificate mailed by the Board pursuant to such application shall in no event exceed fifteen pounds of sugar for each consumer; because the other ten pounds will be obtained by use of the ration stamp.

**File 1 Application**

Although the maximum allotment is twenty-five pounds, in many instances the Board will not issue certificates for the maximum, because it would be more than that consumer would need, it was announced.

A family unit need file only one application for all the members of the family, and not a separate application for each consumer.

Applications forms should be obtained from retailers. It will not be necessary for people to write, telephone or call at the Rationing Boards for these forms. When filled out, the applications, together with Ration Book I for each member of the family unit, may be mailed or brought to the Rationing Boards.

## 2 SEMINARIANS TO SERVE NAVY

Two members of the graduating class at the Lutheran Theological seminary—the Rev. George R. Brosius and the Rev. George Felder, Jr.—will enter a Navy indoctrination school at Norfolk, Va., next month, for a three-month course and then will go on active duty with the U. S. Navy as chaplains.

Three others had applied for similar service but their applications could not be accepted because the quota of the Lutheran church in the Navy chaplaincy has been filled. They expect to go into regular pastorate with the possibility that they may be called to the chaplaincy in a year or more when quotas may have to be refilled.

Messrs. Brosius and Felder and the three others went to Philadelphia early in March and were sworn into the Chaplain Corps of the U. S. Naval Reserve as ensigns. Commissions as lieutenants (j.g.) now await the two men called for duty.

Mr. Brosius is a native of Blacksburg, Va., and a graduate of Susquehanna university in the



# Braves Humble Pirates In Double-Header; Cardinals Again Beat Dodgers

## BOSTON CLUB TAKES SEVENTH STRAIGHT TILT

By JUDSON BAILEY

The Brooklyn Dodgers are in the position of the noisy tenants who are going to get kicked out of their top floor apartment as soon as the lease expires.

The Bums have been occupying the penthouse of the National league ever since the season started, but two consecutive defeats by the St. Louis Cardinals have placed them in jeopardy of losing their first place perch—not to the World Champions but to the Boston Braves.

Boston, with good pitching and a surprisingly well-balanced attack, has won seven straight games, including a double header Wednesday from the Pittsburgh Pirates 2-1 in 11 innings and 5-3.

**Bums Smothered**  
The Dodgers were smothered by southpaw pitching again Wednesday 3-2 as Max Lanier and rookie Harry Brecheen combined to hold them to six hits.

The Braves had difficulty downing the Pirates in their first game, although Nate Andrews kept nine hits well spaced and allowed no runs after the first frame. However, the Braves weren't able to score against rookie Xavier Renshaw from the third till the 11th, when Johnny McCarthy singled, stole second, and sped home on a single by Whitey Witeclmann. McCarthy made four of the Braves' eight hits.

In the second game the first four Braves who came to bat against Hank Gornicki hit singles and knocked him out of the box in the midst of a three-run rally. George Jeffcoat, pitching five-hit ball, muzzled the Pirates on one run till the ninth, when they tallied twice and forced Jeffcoat to have help.

**Ott Wins for Giants**  
In the day's only other game Mel Ott hit a two-run homer off Johnny Vander Meer in the first inning to lead the New York Giants to a 3-2 conquest of the Cincinnati Reds. New York was outlasted 12 to 5, but the Reds were unable to take advantage of their opportunities till the ninth, when a two-run rally fell short.

All games in the American league were postponed for the third day in a row because of weather conditions and the Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia in the National league also were postponed.

## LITTLESTOWN DOWNS BARLOW

Scoring a run in the last half of the final inning, Littlestown defeated the Barlow All-Stars in a baseball game played Sunday at Littlestown 3-2 before a large crowd.

Glenn Harner, of the U. S. Marines, former regular first baseman for Barlow, held down his old post. He is on furlough at his home.

A return game will be played at Littlestown next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The box score:

Barlow	AB	R	H	O	A	E
C. Shriver, c	3	0	1	12	0	4
J. Bosak, 3b	4	0	1	0	1	0
E. Toddes, lf-c	3	0	2	0	2	0
J. Wetzel, p	4	0	0	2	1	0
G. Weikert, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
G. Harner, 1b	3	0	1	4	1	0
J. Brennan, ss-c	3	0	0	0	1	1
R. Epley, 2b	3	0	0	2	1	0
T. Horner, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
V. Derry, rf	1	1	1	0	0	0

Totals 30 2 5 25 4 3  
\*Batted for Shriver in the ninth.  
z—One out when winning run scored.

Littlestown	AB	R	H	O	A
Kricket, c	4	0	0	13	0
M. Mehring, 3b	4	0	0	1	1
B. Mehring, ss	4	1	3	1	2
Ecker, p	4	1	2	0	1
Hood, lf	5	0	0	2	0
Stonesifer, cf	5	1	1	2	0
Novick, 2b	4	0	1	1	1
Ebaugh, 1b	3	0	0	5	0
Paff, rf	4	0	1	2	0

Totals 37 3 5 27 5 0  
Barlow AS 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-3  
Littlestown 0 0 0 0 1 1 0-1  
Two base hits, Paff; hits off Wetzel, 5; Ecker, 5; struck out by Wetzel, 11; Ecker, 13; bases on balls, off Wetzel, 4; Ecker, 0.

## "Lefty" Gomez Is Released By Braves

Boston, Mass. (AP)—Lefty Vernon Gomez, who helped pitch the New York Yankees to seven pennants while winning 189 games for that glamorous club in 13 seasons, has been given another unconditional release by those surprising Boston Braves, without throwing a single pitch in a single league game.

Meanwhile very few of the other 15 major league clubs are content with their pitching and Gomez' chances of being grabbed off immediately appear very bright, judging from the way the doubleheaders are piling up in each league.

## Biglerville Cards Seven Grid Games

Seven games have been scheduled so far for the Biglerville high school football team of next fall. Several other games are expected to be arranged.

The schedule so far includes: September 30, Juniata Joint High of Millintown, home; October 7, Enola; home; October 16, Red Lion, away; October 23, West York, away; October 29, Lower Paxton, away; November 4, Delone Catholic High of McSherrystown, home, and November 13, Camp Hill, away. It is expected that Washington Township will be played September 17 or 24 and several other tilts may be arranged.

Meanwhile, grading and other work on the athletic field is being completed and the track is being changed. When the project is completed the school will have a football field, a track, a baseball diamond, and a practice football field. A portable lighting system will be used for home football games, but after the war, it is expected, a permanent lighting system will be installed.

## DAHLGREN'S NOSE, THROAT FIT FOR ARMY

Unless the Army finds something wrong with Babe Dahlgren, the Phillies are likely to need a brace of physicians themselves.

Big Babe, the first baseman-shortstop who last year was traded around like a pair of earrings in a Tunisian Army camp, suddenly finds himself wanted by a number of people, including the Phillies—who have him at the moment—and the Army.

The Army, in the form of a preliminary physical examination, put in a strong bid Wednesday for the 30-year-old Dahlgren, whose hitting has helped the chronically last-place Phillies into the National league's first division.

**Could Be Traded**  
Now the Phillies, who could continue using him or, as reports have it, could trade him in a deal involving Lou Novikoff, await a final report on the examination, which showed Dahlgren's nose and throat, at least, to be as good as his batting eye.

They expect to hear in a week whether the Babe will be called for his final examination. If he's accepted, owner Bill Cox won't have a thing to worry about—except Danny Litwiler's batting slump, Ron Northey's spike injury and the loss of recently-acquired Babe Phelps, who has been ruled out for

## Pitt-Minnesota Cancel Grid Tilt

Pittsburgh, May 15 (AP)—The feature gridiron battle between Minnesota university's Gophers and the Pitt Panthers, scheduled at Pitt stadium next October 9, has been cancelled.

The cancellation, announced yesterday at the Western conference meeting at Evanston, was caused by a revision of the league's schedule to provide more games with service teams and to cut down travel.

Pitt's much shifted program now has had four rivals removed and one added. Duke, Minnesota, Southern Methodist and Nebraska are the schools calling off hostilities. Notre Dame was added to open the season in the stadium on September 25.

## BOY MAY HAVE BROKEN SKULL

Richard Little, 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Little, Chambersburg street, suffered a possible fracture of the skull Thursday evening at 7 o'clock when he was struck by an automobile driven by Roland Adams, Gettysburg R. 5, on Chambersburg street.

The child is a patient at the Warner hospital having been removed there by Adams after the accident. Chief of Police Glenn Guise said today.

The accident occurred near the intersection with Franklin street. Adams told borough police that he was driving east on Chambersburg street while another car was driving west. Immediately after the two cars passed, Adams said, he saw the child and at that instant the child ran into the side of the car. Police believe the child ran across the street immediately after the car going east had passed the west-bound car.

Adams stopped, took the child to Dr. C. G. Crist and on the latter's advice took the youngster to the hospital, police reported.

Borough Officer Charles W. Culp, Jr., and Chief Guise conducted the investigation. They said no charges would be brought.

## 24-INCH TROUT TAKES PRIZE AT ANGLERS' MEET

By WILLIAM G. SMOCK

Belleville, Pa. (AP) — A 24-inch rainbow trout won first honors as some 1,000 avid anglers compared catches after the opening of the special season at famed Fisherman's Paradise on Spring creek, Centre county.

The biggest fish was landed by Jesse Melott of Hopewell in Bedford county. Runners-up were Mrs. Harold Corbin, of Huntingdon, who bagged a 20-inch rainbow trout, and H. R. Conner of Pittsburgh, who displayed an 18½-inch brook trout.

Boys, women and men over draft age predominated as the two-month season opened. Fishing was good despite muddy and high waters in the rain-swollen creek.

**Fisherman's Paradise**  
Fisherman's Paradise is a mile-long stretch of stream maintained by the state game commission to demonstrate what results can be obtained under stringently controlled conditions.

Special regulations govern the sport in the trout fisherman's mecca and the season is limited since the speckled prizes are numerous and eager to bite. Live bait, barbed hooks and wading are prohibited and anglers are limited to 10 fish per trip, only two of which may be kept—the others going back into the stream.

Wartime travel restrictions failed to reduce the opening day crowd as much as expected. The approximately 1,000 fishermen compared with 1,225 last year and 1,553 in 1940.

In 1942, a total of 20,133 fish were caught by 16,629 persons. Of the fish landed, 6,448 averaging 14.17 inches in length were killed.

## FOOTBALL TO SEE BIG BOOM AFTER THE WAR

By ARDEN SKIDMORE

Pittsburgh, Penna. (AP) — Clark Shaughnessy, soft-spoken "T" formation stylist who hopes to put the roar back into Pitt's Panthers, predicted Tuesday that college football would enjoy the greatest boom in the history of the game after the war.

"Those boys are going to have a lot of steam to get rid of when they return, and football is the first they'll turn to for rough-and-tumble competition," said the former Chicago, Stanford and Maryland coach as he laid the groundwork for Pitt's spring (beg pardon, summer) drills beginning June 28. He added:

"The state of physical fitness of our modern armies is so high—and in such enormous quantities—it's difficult to picture just how big this boom will be. But it'll dwarf anything we experienced after the last war."

**Faculty Welcome**  
Turning to the more immediate outlook, Shaughnessy said, "The game, of course, will be strictly second fiddle to the war," but he added, "Pitt, I know is going to play. After all, the public can't fret and worry about the war 24 hours a day. There's got to be some diversion."

He said the task of the coaches was to make the boys physically fit. "Who wins, doesn't matter," he remarked.

The bulk of this year's squads, Shaughnessy predicted, will come from 17-year-olds and deferred students, including 4-F's.

"Pitt," he said, "will welcome anybody, even the faculty, to come out. We don't care if they've never seen a football before."

What kind of a team will the Panthers have?

"I don't know. We're just living from day to day."

## Max Sherman Takes Two First Places

Max Sherman, former Gettysburg high school athlete, captured two first places in the dual meet between the Mercersburg academy jayvees and West York high on Saturday at Mercersburg. The host team won 71-25.

Sherman captured both events he entered, winning the 100-yard dash and the broad jump.

## Former Pitcher, Actor, In Marines

Hollywood, Calif. (AP) — Pat Flaherty, former big league baseball pitcher and more recently a movie actor, has joined the Marines as a captain.

He was with the Washington Senators, Boston Red Sox and the New York Giants, and also played pro football as a Chicago Bear tackle.

## Maroons Win Dual Meet From Harrisburg Trackmen

Coach George Forney's Gettysburg high track team won its second dual meet of the season last Thursday afternoon by edging out Harrisburg Catholic 58½ to 57½ on the latter's field.

The score was close throughout and it took a victory in the last event, the 880-yard relay, to gain victory for the Maroons. Boehner, Dorsey, Hafer and Stanton formed the winning relay team.

Three new records for the meet were established. Ross Sachs hurled the javelin 155 feet, three inches to shatter the old mark of 153 feet, ¾ inches, set by himself last season.

George Salinger, Catholic high star who won the 100, 220 and high jump for individual scoring honors, set a new record in the high jump of 5 feet, 6½ inches. The old record was 5 feet, 6 inches set by Fuhrman and Yovicsin, of Catholic, in 1939.

The third record made was by Don

## BIGLER DROPS 3-1 DECISION TO DILLSBURG

Dillsburg high school nipped the Biglerville high baseball team in a game played at Dillsburg Tuesday afternoon 3-1.

The victors scored all of their runs in the first inning. After Myers had grounded out Books walked and took second on an error. Neil singled and Drake doubled to score Books and Neil. Dettler grounded out but Hoopes singled to score Drake.

The Cannons' run came in the third as a result of three hit batsmen. McClimens singled and Yost popped to short. Guise and Brough were hit by the pitcher filling the bases. Carey forced McClimens at the plate. Funt was hit by a pitched ball, Guise being forced over the plate.

The box score:

Biglerville	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Black, 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Brough, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Carey, 1b	3	0	0	8	0	1
Funt, 2b, ss	0	0	0	3	0	1
Lawver, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Kline, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Slaybaugh, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Walters, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
McClimens, 3b	3	0	1	5	2	0
Yost, c	2	0	0	5	2	0
Naugle, p, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Guise, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0

Totals 24 1 2 18 10 5

Dillsburg	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Myers, 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Books, 2b	3	1	0	1	1	0
Nell, ss	3	1	2	1	0	0
Drake, 1b	2	1	1	0	1	0
Dettler, p	3	0	0	1	6	0
Hoopes, c	3	0	1	6	2	0
Kimmel, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Sealover, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kinter, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 22 3 2 21 12 0  
Score by innings:  
Biglerville 0 0 1 0 0 0 0-1  
Dillsburg 3 0 0 0 0 0 x-3  
Umpires, Drake and Drake.

## "Babe" Phelps Bolsters Phils

Philadelphia, Pa. (AP)—The Phillies, who soared on May 13 into the dizzy heights—for them—of the first division in the National league, had new reason to hope they might stay there today with the purchase of catcher Ernest Gordon "Babe" Phelps.

Acquisition of Phelps for an unannounced price from the Pittsburgh Pirates was announced last Thursday night. Phelps who is married and has three children, came here from his home in Odenton, Md., in time to see his new teammates split a doubleheader with the Cincinnati Reds. He was a catcher for Brooklyn and Chicago before joining the Pirates.

## Blind Track Star Takes Broad Jump

Plainfield, N. J. (AP) — "All I want now is a good shower and a big dinner," commented Juan Sanchez, blind Puerto Rican athlete.

The 19-year-old native of San Juan had just annexed a first place and two third places for the New York Institute for the Education of the Blind against sighted Plainfield high school trackmen. He nabbed the standing broad jump with a mark of 9 feet, 5½ inches, and placed in the standing high jump and the shot put.

The green institute team—Sanchez was the only winner—dropped the meet by a top-heavy count of 71½ to 8½.

## GRANTED LIEUTENANCY

Eddie Plank, East Lincoln avenue, was graduated last Wednesday from officers' candidate school at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia, where he received his commission as second lieutenant.

## YORK SPRINGS DOWNS BIGLER IN CLOSE TILT

York Springs high captured a 3-1 victory over the Biglerville high baseball team in a game played last Thursday afternoon at York Springs.

The Cannons tabbed a run in the top half of the fourth inning on a hit, two errors and a walk which forced in Koontz.

The victors came right back with two runs in their half on three hits and in the fifth added another tally on a pair of safeties and a pair of errors.

Both Little and Koontz, the starting pitchers, twirled nice ball but the defense of both teams was a little shaky. Koontz led the hitters with a pair of bingles.

The box score:

**York Springs**

AB	R	H	O	A	E
Miller, lf	3	0	1	0	0
P. Myers, 1b	3	0	0	7	0
E. Kemper, 2b	1	1	0	4	0
Kline, cf	3	1	1	0	0
McDermitt, c	3	0	1	4	0
Brame, rf	3	0	0	1	0
Weiser, 3b	3	0	0	3	1
A. Myers, ss	3	0	0	2	3
Little, p	2	1	1	0	1

Totals 24 3 4 21 5

Biglerville	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Ogden, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Carey, 1b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Yost, 2b, c	4	0	0	4	1	0
Koontz, p, cf	4	1	2	1	1	0
Lawver, 1b	4	1	0	4	1	0
Naugle, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0
Funt, lf, 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Guise, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
S'baugh, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Brough, 3b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Black, 3b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Baumgardner, c	2	0	0	5	2	0
Walters, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals 29 1 3 18 5  
Biglerville 000 100 0-1  
York Springs 000 210 x-3  
Errors, P. Myers, Brame, 2; Weiser, A. Myers, 2; Yost, B. Rough, Baumgardner. Left on bases, Biglerville, 9; York Springs, 5. Bases on balls, off Little, 1; Koontz, 1; Lawver, 1. Struck out, by Little, 4; Koontz, 8; Lawver, 2. Hits, off Koontz, 3 in 4 1-3 innings; Lawver, 1 in 1 2-3. Passed balls, McDermitt, Baumgardner. Losing pitcher, Koontz. Umpires, McCauslin and McCracken.

## SENIORS PASS SERVICE TESTS

Eleven Gettysburg high school seniors who soon will be 18 years old have been notified that they achieved "satisfactory" ratings in the Army-Navy college training program tests given at the high school here early last month.

If the boys subsequently pass physical examinations—and some of them already have received that approval—they will be subject to call upon reaching the age of 18. They are now in the enlisted reserve ready for call for the Army (A-12) or Navy (V-12) training programs which will be on a college level and will prepare them for important assignments in various branches of both services.

The youths who made qualifying grades in the Army examination include: Carl M. Taute, Jr., George Raffensperger, Donald Oyler, Joseph Smith, George Svarnas, Gaylord Fissel and Philip Ridinger.

Those approved by the Navy include: Andrew Larson, John Mitchell, George Boehner and James Stoner.

Recently Navy pre-flight procurement officers visited the high school and gave examinations under which other senior youths have qualified for early service. That group includes: Harold Fulton and Comer Altland.

## "Uncle Ed" Can't Supply Flowers For May 30th This Year

Ed Barbehenn, North Stratton street, said today that he will be forced to break a 33-year-old custom on Memorial Day this year because he will not be able to supply bouquets of flowers for school children to carry in the annual parade and to scatter in the national cemetery.

Due to the illness of his brother, George Barbehenn, Ortanna, who recently suffered a stroke, Mr. Barbehenn said he will be forced this year to disappoint the hundreds of children who look to "Uncle Ed" each year to supply them with flowers to be strewn over the soldiers' graves.

Many of the flowers which Mr. Barbehenn supplied were secured from his brother for many years. Last year Mr. Barbehenn presented more than 250 bouquets to youthful paraders. It was with "much regret" that he announced today the discontinuance of that service.

## Redskins To Play Pre-Season Games

San Diego, Calif. (AP) — The Washington Redskins, professional football champions, will play at least two pre-season games. Owner George P. Marshall has announced. There will be an intra-squad benefit game for the Shrine's Crippled Children's Fund here Aug. 15. The other contest will be in Chicago Aug. 25, foe uncertain.

## BEAU JACK GETS GROOMING FOR FRIDAY'S BOUT

By SID FEDER

New York, N. Y. (AP) — It now develops that your ears have taken all that beating for nothing during the past six months or so while Chick the Hercules Wergeles was trying to convince you of the mighty merits of his Beau Jack as a fist-fighter.

The Hercules, you undoubtedly recall, is the little guy who can get more mileage out of his syllables than a one-cylinder jalopy out of 100-octane gas. And for half-a-year now, you've had to head for the storm cellars, because he was strictly a filibuster telling you that as a boxer, the Jumping Jack was a cross between Joe Louis and the British Eighth Army.

**Kept Plugging**  
He kept at it while most of the "smarties" along bash boulevard maintained that the Beau was just a good "club fighter" lucky enough to come along when classy lightweights were as rare as bananas, and that the first time he matched his slam-bank pile-in-and-punch stuff with a real good fighter he'd wind up in left field like a double by DiMaggio.

And it turns



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## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

### LIFE SAVINGS

He had a thousand dollars for a nest egg, so he said.  
To serve him down the future when the clouds were overhead.  
But what could some tomorrow hold of peril worse to meet  
Than the danger of the moment from the Japs we must defeat?

'Twas all he'd saved—that thousand—'Twas to serve them later on.  
When age had come upon them and the strength to earn was gone,  
But what could old age threaten worse of hunger or disease  
Than is threatened at the moment by the savage Japanese?

For many years he'd struggled to put by that tidy sum,  
Against the needs for money which he knew were sure to come.  
But now he stood and pondered.  
What greater need could be  
Than this for arms and substance in the fight for liberty?

He had a thousand dollars, which he had hoped to save.  
To pay for decent burial and mark the family grave.  
But for a bond for freedom he gladly turned them in.  
Since doomed was all he'd worked for if tyranny should win.

**INQUISITIVE WILLIE**  
When Willie was a little lad  
He almost drove his father mad  
By asking how and when and why  
And pleading with him to reply.

His mother very often said:  
'Till Willie has been put to bed  
And all his endless queries cease  
We never have a minute's peace.

"It is a busy life we lead.  
His father gets no time to read  
Nor can I do my household tasks  
So many questions Willie asks."

But Willie has grown up, somehow,  
And is an expert questioner now.  
What once his father often riled  
Is driving men of business wild.

So busy are they with replies  
To governmental "hows" and "whys"  
It must be Willie who prepares  
That endless flood of questionnaires.

**THE WISE-HEARTED MAN**  
The Scriptures say the tribe of Dan  
Was first to teach the artisan  
And make him "the wise-hearted man."

"Wise-hearted!" Meaning deft of hand,  
With sense to know and understand  
The need for work throughout the land.  
"Wise-hearted!" Meaning skill to weave  
And to embroider robe and sleeve  
And things of usefulness achieve.  
"Wise-hearted!" Meaning hammer-wise,  
The curious works of shape and size  
From gold and silver to devise.  
"Wise-hearted!" Not the purse best filled;  
Not lands by hired strangers tilled,  
But hands to useful labor skilled.

**PHEASANT TROUBLE**  
A pheasant with a collar white  
To all men is a handsome sight.  
The friends who come to visit me  
Delighted are this fowl to see.  
But handsome is as handsome does  
And I am not so pleased, because  
That pheasant has devouring ways  
With everything I try to raise.  
Time was that fellow and his brood  
I welcomed in my proudest mood.  
Although he is bereft of song  
I fed his flock all winter long.  
But he repays my kindness now  
By ruining my garden chow.  
Why must a bird so fair to see  
In gardens so destructive be?  
Arrayed in glittering bronze and gold,  
Like some great mandarin of old.  
He struts my plot of ground about,  
Defying me to put him out.  
On all my tender shoots he feeds  
And leaves me nothing but the weeds.  
In spite of all his finery  
Merely a well-dressed thief is he.

## Flashes Of Life

### TREASURE HUNT

Lakeville, Conn. (AP)—John Jordan is leaving no stone unturned—and the same applies to floors—in his search for his false teeth.  
Jordan swears he saw a rat pick up the teeth and disappear behind the woodwork.

Two floors of the three-story Jordan house have been ripped up but there's no sign of the rat or the teeth. Undismayed, Jordan plans to carry his search under the one remaining floor.

### THE MOWER-DOWNER

Boise, Idaho (AP)—Sgt. William Rea of Birmingham, Alabama, saw a power-operated lawn mower in action at Gowen field, so he bought one.

His first attempt resulted: Destruction of a picket fence, damage to two flower beds and a leg injury. The mower was wrecked, too.

Now he's looking for the kind you push.

### NO CARFARE?

Oklahoma City (AP)—The county treasurer notified E. L. Green to come down and get a refund on his 1942 taxes.

Green went down eagerly, stood in line two hours and received his refund—one cent.

### BY-PRODUCT OF VICTORY

Springfield, O. (AP)—Mrs. Clara B. Payton testified today that Victory gardening pays.  
The 74-year-old reported that while pulling onions in the garden she found her wedding ring lost 20 years ago.

### SCREWY SCREWDRIER

Albuquerque, N. M. (AP)—Fire Chief Art Westerfield doesn't need a spade to dig fish worms. He uses a screwdriver.

The screwdriver is electrically charged. The chief says he just pokes it in the ground, turns on the current and soon the worms come up for air.

One problem the chief hasn't solved: He still has to stick the worms on the hook by hand.

### UNCERTAIN LIFE

Chicago (AP)—On his way back from town hall police station where he reported the theft of a cab, Orwin Winkler stopped at a restaurant for a cup of coffee.

When he came out he discovered the cab he had used for his trip to the police station also was missing.

Winkler made another trip to the police station. He walked.

### MANPOWER SHORTAGE

Atlanta (AP)—Lieutenant Charlotte Tonis expected to take a soldier's job when she joined the WAAC but, says she, "I never expected to substitute for a bride's daddy."

A WAAC sergeant in Lieut. Tonis' company at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, married a corporal in the army and the lady-who-took-a-man's-job gave the bride away.

**STEAKS-REMEMBER?**

Hartford, Conn. (AP)—Sold Speaker Harold E. Mitchell as the state legislature approved a bill restoring forfeited rights to a man convicted of stealing two chickens and ten steaks.

"The chair still doubts that it's possible."

He was assured that the offense occurred in pre-ratting days.

**HONESTY PAYS**

Nampa, Idaho (AP)—A farmer who returned a bag of beans he found on the highway can be thankful he didn't put any of them in the family pot.

They had fallen from a seed company truck and had been treated with a deadly poison.

**THEY CAN'T WIN**

Carthage, Mo. (AP)—Five Italian war prisoners escaped from internment at Camp Clark, Missouri—only to be held at bay by a farmer from whom they sought food.

Highway patrolmen handcuffed them, returning them to the Jasper county jail.

Then lightning struck the jail. Damage, however, was slight.

**ODDS 147, 106 TO 1**

Wallace, Idaho (AP)—War bond prizes were offered for guessing the time it would take a rubber ball to float seven and a half miles down Lead creek from Mullan.

Finalists were only those within five seconds of the correct time—and three hit it exactly.

The answer: Four hours, five minutes, 10 seconds.

**HELLO, ELMER!**

Kansas City, Mo. (AP)—Coal and automobile dealers of Missouri open their conventions today.

Hotel rooms are scarce, there hasn't been a new car made since who remembers when, and there's a bit of a situation in coal mining.

Remember when conventions were fun?

**CORNY**

Twin Falls, Idaho (AP)—William Clawson, farmer at Murtaugh, got an immediate replacement for his missing gasoline ration book. He told the board he was plowing and presto! The book was gone.

"Must have plowed it under," he said.

## NEW OXFORD H.S. TO CONDUCT MAY DAY EXERCISES

The annual May Day exercises, each year one of the outstanding programs presented by New Oxford high school, will be held on Saturday, it has been announced by C. P. Keefer, supervising principal of the New Oxford schools. The exercises will begin at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon with the processional march and crowning of the May Queen. Other activities will include the Maypole dance, a band concert, dramatizations, musical selections and the serving of a supper by the home economics department students. The program will last throughout the afternoon and evening.

Doris Jean Myers has been elected Queen of May with Aileen Catherine Wolford as Lady-in-Waiting. The flower girls will be Joyce Myers and Linda Miller. Donald Wildasin, Abbotstown, has been named crown-bearer.

Members of the senior class who will constitute the court include Margaret Geisler, Mary Haar, Jane Humer, Doris Miller, Fernie Moul, Virginia Rickstein, Dorothy Rife, Dorothy Sadler, Harriet Welkert and Pauline Zartman. Robert E. Sheads will be in charge of the processional.

**Special Evening Program**

Included in the Maypole dance will be the following members of the freshman class: Patricia Alwine, Rhonda Crowl, Janet Dittera, Mary Hippensteel, Esther Kinneman, Mary Helen Krug, Dorothy Miller, Sarah Louise Miller, Geraldine Myers, Naeline Myers, Lillian Pope, Anna Noel, Maryann Rickstein, Nadine Sieg, Anna Staub, Louise Stump, Julia Welkert, Betty Winthrope, Jean Little and Leah Shriver. Miss Florence Reitz is directing the Maypole group. Pearl Ruthetta Hoke is the accompanist. Red, white and blue streamers will be used with the flag atop the pole.

Supper will be served from 5 to 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Jeanne Schlosser and the home economics students will be in charge of this part of the program, assisted by John L. Kratzert and the vocational agriculture students.

The evening program will begin at 8 o'clock. It will consist of dramatization by the first and second grades, music, poems and other selections by the pupils of the grades from grades three to eight. Mrs. Vesta S. Cooke, Ruth McDannell, Z. Ruth Sponseller, Lottie E. Hudick and Mrs. Anna G. Bair are in charge of the evening program. Music of an instructional and entertaining nature will be shown at the evening program.

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## HERE AND THERE

Three Adams county young men held a Gettysburg Reunion in North Africa recently.

Lieutenant Clarence W. Epley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Epley, Chambersburg street, in a letter received by his parents Saturday wrote, in substance, from North Africa, as follows:

"I went into town the other day and while there saw a young fellow who looked like Norman Small (son of Walter Small, Washington street). When I returned to camp I read in The Gettysburg Times that Small was in North Africa.

"The next day I had to go into town again and while there looked up Small and found him along with George Tate (son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tate, West Middle street). We had quite a reunion together, talking about G-burg and the good old times. We're going to have more reunions whenever we can get together."

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Lincoln avenue is the only official recognition, in town, we have given the martyred President.

Lincoln Square, we believe, will have far greater significance and attract far more attention than just plain Center Square.

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Then, too, Mr. Tawney is deserving of an opportunity to defend himself against any and all charges.

But public sympathy and consideration of the loyal service Mr. Tawney has rendered this community for almost twenty years, coupled with his advanced age, are factors that should be considered.

Members of town council would do well to demand of its Highway committee proof of any charges they have against Mr. Tawney that warranted his dismissal.

Our own thought in the matter is that the least Mr. Tawney deserves is retention as an employee of the borough if for no other reasons than his long service and his advanced years.

In the more than 19 years he worked for the borough, Mr. Tawney missed four days from his regular duties—up to this week. There were no vacations.

## With Our Service Men

A/S Donald Shetter is attending the Quartermaster school, U.S.N.T.S., Newport, Rhode Island.

Pvt. Wilbur Weimer has been transferred from Camp Gordon, Georgia, to Ft. Dix, New Jersey.

Corporal W. E. Tawney is with the Radio Mechanics, Class 19, Building 7365, Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

PFC. Weldo W. Funt has been transferred to the 75th T.S.S., Lowery Field, Colorado.

O. C. Thomas N. Bullett is with Class 46, 1st Co., O. C. S. A. F., Ft. Knox, Ky.

Pvt. Robert S. Knox is now receiving his mail in care of the Postmaster, New York City.

John Flury has been transferred from Bainbridge, Md., to the Rec. Station, N. O. B., Norfolk, Va.

Sgt. William E. Oyler is receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at New York City.

Pvt. Clayton D. Warman is now with Unit 3901, Texas A. and M. college, College Station, Texas.

T. 4 Paul F. Little is with Co. A, 628th T.D. Bn., Camp Rucker, Alabama.

George Fissel is now with the 501st Base Hq. and A. B. Great Bend, Kansas.

PFC. William D. Wilkinson is with Hq. Battery, 314th F. A. Bn., Camp Forrest, Tennessee.

Pvt. Joseph H. Wisotzky and Corporals Ray Staley and Robert Musselman now receive their mail APO 8877, in care of the postmaster at New York City.

Sgt. Raymond Kint is now with Co. A, 97th Signal Bn., Camp Bowie, Texas.

Corporal Ralph G. Taylor is with Co. L, 543rd E.A.R., 3rd E.A.B., East Garrison, Ft. Ord, California.

PFC. Charles B. Coffman has been transferred from Ft. Myers, Florida, to 312th T.S.S., Barracks 811, Sheppard Field, Texas.

Pvt. Roy D. Musselman is with Co. A, 15th Training Bn., 1st Platoon, Camp Wheeler, Georgia.

Pvt. Clair A. Beamer is with the 965th Guard Squadron, Army Air Base, Blueenthal Field, Wilmington, North Carolina.

Pvt. William E. Topper is with the 899th Chemical Co., Daniel Field, Augusta, Georgia.

A. S. John A. Cline has been assigned to Co. 3229, Barracks 318, U.S.N.T.S., Bainbridge, Maryland.

Pvt. James Finrock receives his mail at the Technical Training Command, Army Air Forces, Clearwater, Florida.

PFC. John H. Mauss is now with the 659th Signal Co., Ft. Rosecrans, San Diego, California.

Corporal Nevin Fair is with the 91st Service Squadron, Avon Park Bombing Range, Avon Park, Florida.

PFC. Harold S. Rummel receives his mail APO 865, care of the postmaster, New York City.

Lt. (Chaplain) George H. Berkheimer receives his mail APO 929, care of the postmaster at San Francisco.

Staff Sgt. Harmen E. Guise has been transferred from Blythe Field, Calif., to the 504th Bomb Squadron, A.A.B., Dyersburg, Tenn.

A/S Clarence Swisher has been transferred from Sampson, New York, to the Armed Guard Annex, N.T.S., Norfolk, Va.

Claude W. Kennedy, who is now with the 557th Bomb Squadron, 387th Bomb Group, Godman Field, Ft. Knox, Ky., has been promoted to technical sergeant.

Clarence Weaver has been transferred from Marietta, Ohio, to the C. P. S. Camp No. 35, North Fork, Calif.

PFC. Lyman B. Dick is with the 962nd Engineers Maintenance Co., Camp Swift, Texas.

PFC. Harry C. Dick is a member of Co. A, 124th Infantry, Ft. Benning, Ga.

Pvt. Robert J. Shrader has been assigned to Co. A, 271st Infantry, APO 417, Camp Shelby, Miss.

An administration bond has been filed at the court house in the estate of Beatrice Mae Heiser, late of Cumberland township. Edward W. Heiser, Gettysburg R. 1, is administrator.

## Letters To The Editor

Dear Sir:



## RETIRED PASTOR, KNOWN HERE, DIES IN CARLISLE

The Rev. Dr. George M. Diffenderfer, 74, retired Lutheran pastor, Carlisle, died Sunday midnight at the Carlisle hospital from a complication of diseases. He had been in ill health for some time and was admitted to the hospital about 10 days ago.

The deceased was born in East Petersburg, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Diffenderfer. He graduated from Gettysburg college in 1893 and from the Lutheran Theological seminary here in 1896. In 1911, he received his doctor of divinity degree at Gettysburg college.

Following his graduation from the seminary he was married on June 30, 1896, to the former Laura A. Diehl, Gettysburg. He became pastor of the Newport Lutheran church that year and in 1900 was named pastor of the First Lutheran church, Carlisle, where he served until 1914. During World War I he served as a chaplain at Newport News, Virginia. In 1919 he was elected pastor of the Lutheran Place Memorial church, Washington, D. C., where he served until 1930.

He served as professor of Comparative Religions at Dickinson college, Carlisle, from 1912 to 1914. From 1919 to 1922 he was a professor at Washington college. He served as trustee for Irving college from 1901 to 1905 and was a trustee of the Tressler orphanage at Lysville. He was also a member of the Lutheran Board of Education.

In addition to his widow he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Russell Yates, Washington, D. C.; one son, Pvt. George M. Diffenderfer, Clearwater, Florida; one grandchild; a sister, Mrs. Mame Vollmer, Carlisle, and two brothers, Harry, of near Harrisburg, and Lawrence, whose address is unknown.

Funeral services from the First Lutheran church, Carlisle, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

## DEATHS

**Mrs. Melvin D. Slaybaugh**  
Mrs. Sarah H. Slaybaugh, 76, wife of Melvin D. Slaybaugh, near Mt. Holly Springs, died Saturday afternoon at the Carlisle hospital at 5:15 o'clock from a complication of diseases. She was a native of Idaho, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McGowan Davis. She moved to Cumberland county 30 years ago.

Surviving are her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Harold Vanadalen, Carlisle R. 6; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Lula Yingst, Gardner R. 2.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon meeting at the home at 2 o'clock with further services at the Mt. Zion United Brethren church at 4 o'clock by the Rev. George E. Snyder. Interment at Mt. Holly Springs.

**Mrs. Robert L. Bolin**  
Mrs. Betty Grace Bolin, 19, wife of PFC. Robert L. Bolin, New Oxford R. 2, died at 2:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Hanover General hospital. Death was caused by a complication of diseases.

Surviving besides the husband, who is stationed at Fort Monmouth, N. J., are a daughter, Elizabeth Jean; her mother, Mrs. M. G. Coulson, Hanover; brothers and sisters, Richard, Norman, Francis, Neona and Jean Coulson, Hanover; four step-brothers and a step-sister, Curtis Funk, Marietta, Pa.; Joseph, Leo and Raymond Funk and Mrs. Paul Plith, Hanover, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Funk, New Oxford R. 2.

The funeral was held Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Funk, with whom she had resided. A requiem mass was conducted at 9 a. m. in the Conewago chapel. The Rev. Edwin Landis was celebrant. Serving as pallbearers were Raymond Funk, Joseph Funk, Richard Bolin, Lawrence Bolin, Darrel Bolin and Dennis Bolin.

**Miss Alveta E. Myers**  
Miss Alveta Elizabeth Myers, daughter of the late Aaron and Lydia Arter Myers, died at her home along Hanover R. D. No. 1, in Union township, Wednesday, as the result of a stroke of paralysis which she suffered that evening. She had been in her usual state of health up until that time and was engaged in putting away the dishes after the evening meal when stricken. She was 69 years of age. The following brothers and sisters survive: Mrs. Sarah Shilt, Littlestown R. D.; Mrs. Frank Myers, Silver Run; Howard Myers, Union township; Mrs. Lillie Croumer, Jacob D. and Claude A. Myers, Hanover. The deceased was a member of St. Bartholomew's Lutheran church, West Manheim township. Services were conducted Friday, with obsequies in St. Bartholomew's church and burial in the church cemetery. Due to the illness of her pastor, the Rev. A. M. Hollinger, the Rev. Dr. E. M. Sando, pastor of the West Manheim Reformed church officiated.

**Anthony Bisker**  
Anthony Bisker, New Freedom,

## No Solicitation For May 30th Fund

The colored Memorial Day committee announced Wednesday that it will not solicit contributions to finance its annual Memorial Day exercises this year "because of the exigencies of war."

The exercises will be held Sunday afternoon, May 30, at 2 o'clock the day preceding the regular town observance. It is the custom of the colored committee to observe Memorial Day on the Sunday nearest May 30th.

The committee stated that if anyone wished to contribute to the expense this year he may do so by contacting members of the committee.

The committee includes: John H. Carter, president; Eliza Johnson, vice president; Emory Thomas, treasurer and Mary J. Penn, secretary.

## H. C. BREAM, 77, DIES SUNDAY

Harvey Clifton Bream, 77, York Springs R. 1, Littleton township, died at his home Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock from a complication of diseases. He was in failing health for two years and was bedfast two weeks.

The deceased was born in Adams county, a son of the late Henry and Harriet (Meals) Bream. He was a well-known farmer all of his life. Mr. Bream was a member of the York Springs Lutheran church.

Surviving are nine children, Mrs. Harry Trimmer, Abbotstown R. D.; Luther, home; Mrs. Clair Pitten-turf, York Springs; Alice, Ross-ville; Mrs. Leonard Steager, home; Esther, Selinsgrove; Martha, home; Mrs. William Bosserman, New Oxford R. 1, and William, home; eight grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Deardorff, Dillsburg, and Mrs. Milton Spahr, Shepherdstown. A number of nephews and nieces also survive.

Funeral services were held from the late home Wednesday at 2 p. m., with further services at the York Springs Lutheran church conducted by the Rev. Dr. A. A. Kelly and the Rev. Paul Gladfelter. Interment in Sunnyside cemetery, York Springs.

The pallbearers were six nephews, Ralph Davis, Felton Davis, Clair Deardorff, Ray Spahr, Lloyd Spahr and Richard Spahr.

died Wednesday afternoon at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore. He was admitted to the hospital Monday and death was caused by complications after a lingering illness.

Besides his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Ethelida, at home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bisker, Freeland, Md., and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Allen Shrader, York; Mrs. Lee Funk, New Oxford; Mrs. Thomas Mable, Columbia; Mrs. Raymond Itzoe, New Freedom; Cpl. Joseph Bisker, APO, New Orleans; Mrs. Charles Keller, Dallastown; Mrs. Kenneth McGraw and Vincent Bisker, both of Freeland R. D.; Sister Baptist, St. Joseph's convent, Columbia.

Mr. Bisker was a member of the St. John's Roman Catholic church and the Holy Name society of that church and lodge No. 1530, K. of C., York. Requiem mass was held at St. John's church, New Freedom, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Interment was in adjoining cemetery.

**Mrs. Theodore E. Shildt**  
Mrs. Sarah Jane Shildt, 72, wife of Theodore E. Shildt, Germany township, Littlestown R. 2, died at her home Friday morning at 12:30 o'clock, from a heart condition following an illness of two days.

Her death occurred just two days after that of her sister, Miss Alveta Elizabeth Myers, Hanover R. 1, who died early Wednesday morning and whose funeral was conducted this morning.

Mrs. Shildt was a daughter of the late Aaron and Lydia Arter Myers. She was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran church, near Bonneauville.

Surviving are her husband; five children, Mrs. Charles W. Miller, Littlestown R. 1; Mrs. Logan H. Birdsong, Mobile, Ala.; Mrs. Mildred Sterner, at home; Claude E. Shildt, Littlestown R. 1, and Melvin M. Shildt, Littlestown; nine grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and the following sisters and brothers, Mrs. Frank Myers, Silver Run, Md.; Mrs. Lillie Croumer, Hanover; Jacob D. Myers and Claude A. Myers, both of Hanover.

Funeral was held Sunday with services conducted at 2 o'clock at the J. W. Little and Son funeral home, Maple avenue, Littlestown, the Rev. Dr. J. M. Myers, pastor of St. Luke's Lutheran church, officiating. Interment in St. Bartholomew's cemetery, Hanover R. 1.

**G. A. Shoemaker**  
George A. Shoemaker, 71, died at his home in Chambersburg on Sunday afternoon at 12:15 o'clock after a four-days' illness.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mary Shoemaker and these children: Miss Mary and George, of Chambersburg; Mrs. Harry Carbaugh of Shippenburg, and Mrs. Ed Machael of Chambersburg R. 4; also two step-brothers, Harvey Gearhold of Chambersburg, and Henry Newman of Fayetteville, and two sisters, Mrs.

## PRIEST DIES; SERVED HERE

The Rev. John J. Smyth, 57, pastor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic parish of Harrisburg, for the past 20 years, died Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Joseph's hospital, Baltimore.

In failing health for several months, he entered the hospital Easter Monday for treatment of a stomach ailment and an operation performed last week appeared successful. However, his condition took a turn for the worse Saturday night.

Born in Cavan, Ireland, on August 2, 1885, he took his college and seminary studies at Carlow college and was ordained to the priesthood there on June 12, 1910. He came to the United States the following October and served as assistant rector of churches in Hanover, Conewago, York, Gettysburg, McSherrytown, Lewistown, Mt. Carmel, Kulpmont and Locust Gap.

Appointed pastor of the St. John's church, New Freedom, in January, 1922, he served there until August 4, 1923, when he went to Harrisburg to assume the pastorate of Sacred Heart church.

Father Smyth established a school in the parish and in 1928 built the present modern Sacred Heart church. The mortgage on the school building was paid off last February.

Bishop Leach will celebrate a pontifical mass of requiem for Father Smyth in Sacred Heart church this Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Translation of the body to the church took place Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, after which the priests present sang the office of the dead. The body will lie in the church until time for the funeral. Burial was made in the Priests' Circle at Holy Cross cemetery.

Susan Lentz and Mrs. Sadie Baker, both of Ottomata R. 1.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Air Hill church. Burial in the adjoining cemetery.

**Mrs. Jacob M. Frey**  
Mrs. Maryann B. Frey, 81, widow of Jacob M. Frey, formerly of Hanover, died Sunday evening at 6:05 o'clock at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haines, 1626 Hamilton street, Lancaster. She resided in Lancaster for the past three months and death resulted from infirmities due to advanced years. She was the daughter of the late John and Barbara Bechtel Miller.

Surviving are the following children: Elmer M. Frey, York; Mrs. Clarence Haines, Lancaster; John E. Frey, East Berlin R. D., and Maurice Frey, Hanover, four sisters, Mrs. Samuel Duber, Mrs. George Basehore, Littlestown, and Mrs. Edward Forry, Lancaster, and one brother, Howard Miller, Hanover R. 3; 21 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren, also survive. Her husband preceded her in death in 1940. She was a member of the Mennonite church, Hanover, for approximately 60 years.

**Mrs. Margaret E. Wernecke**  
Mrs. Margaret Ellen Wernecke, 82, widow of William E. Wernecke, formerly of Baltimore, died at 5 p. m. Friday at the home of her sister, Mrs. George W. Bowman, Prince street, Littlestown. Death resulted from a stroke of paralysis which she suffered three weeks ago. She was a daughter of the late Samuel and Mary Sheets Wentz.

She leaves two sisters, Mrs. Bowman, with whom she made her home, and Mrs. J. J. Smyser, Gettysburg.

Private services were conducted at the J. W. Little and Son funeral home in Littlestown, Monday at 9 a. m. The Rev. David S. Kammerer, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, officiated. Burial was made in Lorraine Park cemetery, Baltimore.

**Mrs. Daniel Fox**  
Mrs. Mary Anna Shockey Fox, 69, wife of Daniel Fox, near Zullinger, died at 2:30 a. m. Monday at her home. She had been under the care of a physician for the last year and critically ill and confined to her bed for the last two weeks.

She was born at Ringgold, the daughter of Henry and Susan (Shockey) Shockey. She had lived in the Zullinger section since her marriage fifty years ago.

Mrs. Fox was a member of the Church of the Brethren at Price's. Surviving are her husband and three daughters, Mrs. Roy Weaver, Waynesboro R. 2; Mrs. Robert Kessler, Gettysburg R. 3, and Mrs. Reuben Staumbaugh, Waynesboro R. 3. Six grandchildren, one great-grandson, two sisters, Mrs. Abram Shank, Shady Grove, and Mrs. Susanne Newcomer, Waynesboro, and a brother, Harry Shockey, Bloomington, Ill., also survive.

Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Weaver, Waynesboro R. 2, with services at Price's church at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. M. C. Valentine and the Rev. Willis Rice. Interment in the cemetery adjoining.

**J. W. Shaffer**  
J. W. Shaffer, 81, one of the oldest residents of Mont Alto, and the last of his family, died at the Waynesboro hospital Saturday morning at 8:05 after a serious illness of four weeks. He had been confined to the hospital for the last

## 512 Pupils Take H. S. Entrance Test

Five hundred and twelve eighth grade students from all of the Adams county schools took the high school entrance examinations held in the county's high schools and Lincoln school, Gettysburg, Saturday.

The number was only four less than the total eligible for the test. Two absentees were reported from York Springs and one each from Littlestown and Lincoln school.

The number of students who completed the examination at the various schools was: Arendtsville, 46; Biglerville, 55; East Berlin, 44; Fairfield, 62; Littlestown, 115; New Oxford, 88; York Springs, 42, and Lincoln School, 56.

## CURTIS J. FOHL DIES THURSDAY

Curtis J. Fohl, 69, Biglerville, died at the Warner hospital last Thursday evening at 6:15 o'clock from a complication of diseases. He had been in ill health two years and was bedfast four weeks. He was admitted to the hospital Wednesday.

The deceased was born in Adams county, a son of the late John and Lovina (McCanns) Fohl. He was an engineer at the Biglerville Cold Storage plant since its organization about 30 years ago. Mr. Fohl was a member of the Gettysburg Aerie of Eagles. His wife, the former Nora Lady, died in April, 1939.

Surviving are six children, W. Earl, Biglerville; Chester M., Gettysburg; Mrs. Roy Lawyer, Biglerville; Mrs. Thomas Wortz, Pascagoula, Mississippi; Mrs. Paul Hutchison, Gap, Pa., and Edith Dougherty, Lancaster; nine grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. George Deardorff, Biglerville, and one brother, Guy J. Biglerville.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Routsong and Dugan funeral home, Biglerville, conducted by the Rev. Ernest W. Brindle. Interment in the Biglerville cemetery.

Calvin Fohl, a brother of the deceased, died two years ago at his home in East Berlin.

## CHARLES IRWIN DIES MONDAY

Charles G. Irwin, 61, died at the home of his brother, J. Logan Irwin, Emmitsburg road, Monday afternoon, at 5:15 o'clock from paralysis. He had been ill a year and was bedfast since last December.

The deceased was born in Highland township, a son of the late George W. and Amanda (Appley) Irwin. He resided in the county all of his life and practiced farming. Mr. Irwin was a member of the Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian church.

In addition to his brother he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ida Hunter, Seattle, Washington, and Miss Hattie Irwin, at home.

Funeral services from the Bender funeral home this afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by the Rev. Harry Ecker. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

## Two Divorce Cases Are Opened Here

Two libels in divorce actions have been filed at the court house. Both allege desertion.

Dorothy Dorsey Williams, rear of Breckenridge street, is seeking a divorce from her husband, Russel Williams, Mt. Airy, in the one action while George W. Brame, Gardner R. 1, is suing his wife, Flossie H. Brame, Hallam R. 1 for divorce in the other.

## Poppay To Attend War Activities Meet

Sydney J. Poppay, Seminary avenue, manager of the Majestic and Strand theatres here and chairman of the Theatre War Activities committee of Adams county, will attend a luncheon meeting of the Philadelphia division of the War Activities committee, Monday, at Philadelphia.

The session is held for county chairmen in this area. Future activities of the committee will be

three weeks. He suffered a stroke April 29.

Mr. Shaffer was born near Mont Alto, April 22, 1862, and spent practically his entire life in the Mont Alto section and in Waynesboro. He spent about five years farming near Gettysburg.

He was a son of John and Eliza (Gonder) Shaffer. His father was a veteran of the Civil War. Mrs. Shaffer died eleven years ago.

Surviving are the following children: Granville C. Shaffer, W. W. Shaffer, John H. Shaffer, Mrs. A. D. Coffman, and Mrs. Mary Ritter, of York; Mrs. Daniel Staley, South Mountain; George Shaffer, Raymond Shaffer and Mrs. John Kauffman, Mont Alto. Eighteen grandchildren and three great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services Tuesday at 2 p. m. from the Grove Funeral Home, Waynesboro, with services in the First Christian church in charge of the Rev. A. E. Simerly. Interment in Burns Hill cemetery.

## Couple Weds Thursday In County Church

Beneath an archway of orchid lilies the marriage of Miss Dorothy Mae Orner, daughter of Mrs. Frances J. Orner, Bendersville, to D. Eugene Clark, Panama, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Clark, New Oxford, was solemnized last Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Bethlehem Lutheran church, Bendersville.

The Rev. Dr. Harvey D. Hoover, of the Lutheran Theological Seminary, performed the ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Lloyd J. Orner. She wore a gown of white up-raised floral design marquisette with clusters of rosebuds forming the sweetheart neckline. The gown was made with a slimming midriff falling into a full skirt with a long flowing train. The veil was arranged cape fashion with a bridal wreath diadem crown. She carried a shower bouquet of Belmont gardenias and white carnations. Her attendants wore gowns fashioned on lines similar to that of the bride.

Mrs. Cecil R. Snyder, Bendersville, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore yellow marquisette and carried orchid snapdragons and pink rosebuds with an orchid tie and matching headband.

The junior bridesmaids, Miss Dorene Clark, New Oxford, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Jean Orner, niece of the bride, wore pink marquisette and carried yellow and brown tulips, talisman rosebuds and blue delphinium with matching headbands.

The bridesmaids, Miss Ethel Beamer, Bendersville, and Mrs. Emerson L. Orner, sister-in-law of the bride, wore blue marquisette and carried yellow snapdragons and yellow rosebuds and bronze tie and matching headbands.

Miss Margaret Louise Orner, niece of the bride, as flower girl, wore a white sheer dress with a ruffled skirt with a matching bow in her hair and carried a colonial bouquet of pink roses and blue delphinium. Mr. Clark had Frank Traub, York, as his best man. The ushers were Emerson L. Orner, brother of the bride, and Cecil R. Snyder, a brother-in-law of the bride.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Miami, Florida, from where Mr. Clark will leave for Panama to resume his duties. Mrs. Clark will reside with her mother until she joins her husband in Panama.

The bride was graduated from Biglerville high school in 1939 and is now employed in the office of the Adams Apple Products Corporation, Aspers. Mr. Clark graduated from Biglerville high school in 1937 and for eight months has been employed by the War Department in Panama. Lilies and white satin were used in decorating the church. White satin ribbons, fastened with clusters of lilies of the valley, were used to tie the pews.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in Gettysburg for the bridal party, relatives and friends. Spring flowers were used in decorating.

**Sanders—Emig**  
Miss Anna Elizabeth Emig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. W. Emig, Abbotstown, and PFC. Richard E. Sanders, Fort Story, Va., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Merle Sanders, Abbotstown, were united in marriage Monday evening in St. John's Lutheran church, Abbotstown.

The Rev. Snyder Alleman, pastor of the bride, performed the double ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and friends. The church was decorated with white lilies, white carnations and palms. Mrs. Raymond Lillich was matron of honor, and Miss Lena Emig, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. The best man was Raymond Lillich, George G. Hollinger, Jr., served as usher. Preceding the ceremony a 15-minute organ recital was presented by Mrs. Felix Sanders, aunt of the bridegroom. Miss Catherine Winand, New Oxford, sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly." The bride was attired in navy blue with white accessories. Her bouquet was of white rosebuds and gardenias. The matron of honor wore old rose, and the bridesmaid wore powder blue. Both had corsages of mixed flowers. The bride's only jewelry was a necklace of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom. Both PFC and Mrs. Sanders were graduated from the East Berlin high school. Mrs. Sanders is employed at the L. E. Beaudin Shoe company plant, Hanover. Private Sanders also was employed at the Beaudin shoe factory before entering the service. Immediately following the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride will make her home with her parents for the duration of the war.

**Smith—Mundorff**  
The Church of the Abiding Presence at the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary was the scene of a wedding, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when Miss Helen Elizabeth Mundorff, New Cumberland, a member of this year's graduating class at Gettysburg college, became the bride of R. Tainter Smith, Newport, who was graduated from the college in 1941. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Ralph Sloop, New Cumberland.

The bride wore a formal wedding gown of white satin with a flowing

veil. She was given in marriage by her brother, Private Mundorff, of the United States Army.

The bridesmaids, Miss Ruth M. Schwartz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz, Gettysburg R. 1, and PFC. Percell B. Ecker, son of Mrs. Charles Ecker, 150 Lombard street, Littlestown, were solemnized Saturday morning, May 15, at 9:30 o'clock at the Lutheran parsonage in Woodsboro, Maryland. The Rev. Herbert H. Schmidt, a former pastor of the bride, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, who is a graduate of Gettysburg high school in the class of 1936.

PFC Ecker, who was graduated from Littlestown high school in 1936, is serving in the U. S. Army at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland.

**ENGAGED TO MARRY**  
Borough Councilman and Mrs. C. H. Pensinger of Chambersburg have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Adda Pensinger, to Ensign R. William Higgins, United States Naval aviator. Miss Pensinger is a teacher in the public schools of Carlisle, and Ensign Higgins, a son of Mrs. S. C. Gans, Chambersburg, is on duty at Pensacola, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Deardorff, Mummasburg, announce the birth of a daughter Tuesday evening. This is the second child in the Deardorff family.

## COLLEGE CADET IS WED HERE

Pvt. Mitchell M. Seruya, a member of the 55th College Training Detachment at Gettysburg college was married to Miss Minerva Beyda, Chicago, Saturday by Clerk of the Courts Roy D. Renner. The ceremony took place in the clerk's office at the court house with J. William Kendlehart, Jr., Gettysburg, as witness.

Private Seruya is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Seruya, Chicago, while the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Beyda, also of Chicago.

## Quintin D. Rebert Out For Commissioner

Quintin D. Rebert, Littlestown R. D., Mt. Pleasant township, today announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for county commissioner. He is the second Democrat to announce for the office. From 1936 to 1940 he was register and recorder of Adams county.

Mr. Rebert is a farmer and business man and has been active in public affairs all of his life.

She was given in marriage by her brother, Private Mundorff, of the United States Army.

The bridesmaids, who wore gowns of tulle with short head veils and tiaras of daisies were Mrs. Irene Senft, Snyderstown, Miss Josephine Fish, Mechanicsburg, and Miss Betty Hite, Hershey. Miss Marian Fish, Mechanicsburg, presented several vocal selections, accompanied on the organ by John Sanderson. Mr. Sanderson also played the processional and recessional music.

The ushers included Quintin Garmann, William McKee and Richard Henry, all of Harrisburg, and Ray Wortz, Newport. The couple received Communion after the ceremony. A reception was held in the lecture room of the chapel for friends and relatives.

The couple left Tuesday evening on a wedding trip to Eagles Mere. Mr. Smith is employed by the Shell Oil company in St. Louis. They will reside at 324 Eighth street, Wood River, Illinois.

**Markley—Wierman**  
C. Harry Markley, York, and Miss Helen A. Wierman, a daughter of Wierman, York, former residents of the late Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gettysburg, were married in the First Presbyterian church, Philadelphia, at noon on Wednesday by the pastor, the Rev. L. S. Mudge.

The bride wore a cinnamon and chartreuse print jacket dress with a chartreuse felt hat and brown accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of white orchids.

Mr. Markley is a representative of the Wayne Pump company, Ft. Wayne, Indiana, and Mrs. Markley has been associated with her sister, Miss Mary E. Wierman in the antique business.

They will reside at 314 West Market street, York.

Miss Edith R. Peeser, Hanover, and James O. Snyder, New Oxford, were married Saturday at 4 p. m. in the parsonage of Carroll Reformed church, near Westminster. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, the Rev. C. B. Rebert. They were unattended. The bride was attired in a light blue suit. They will make their home in Alexandria, Virginia.

**Redding—Dayhoff**  
Miss Naomi Mae Dayhoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dayhoff, resident of Gettysburg, and Paxton Bernard Redding, son of Frank Redding, Gettysburg R. 2, were united in marriage Saturday evening by the Rev. Fr. McCourt, of Westminster.

The bridesmaid was Mary E. Breighner and the best man was Bernard A. Breighner, both of Abbotstown.

The bride wore a teal blue gown with dark blue accessories. Her corsage was of red rosebuds.

A wedding dinner was served Sunday at the home of Lt. and Mrs. James Breighner and family, Abbotstown.

The couple will reside in York where the bridegroom is employed.

**Ecker—Schwartz**  
The marriage of Miss Ruth M. Schwartz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz, Gettysburg R. 1, and PFC. Percell B. Ecker, son of Mrs. Charles Ecker, 150 Lombard street, Littlestown, was solemnized Saturday morning, May 15, at 9:30 o'clock at the Lutheran parsonage in Woodsboro, Maryland. The Rev. Herbert H. Schmidt, a former pastor of the bride, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride, who is a graduate of Gettysburg high school in the class of 1936.

PFC Ecker, who was graduated from Littlestown high school in 1936, is serving in the U. S. Army at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland.

**ENGAGED TO MARRY**  
Borough Councilman and Mrs. C. H. Pensinger of Chambersburg have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Adda Pensinger, to Ensign R. William Higgins, United States Naval aviator. Miss Pensinger is a teacher in the public schools of Carlisle, and Ensign Higgins, a son of Mrs. S. C. Gans, Chambersburg, is on duty at Pensacola, Florida.

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## Rev. Leedy Helps Dickinson Faculty



## PCBL COUNCIL MARKS SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Talks by Frank Kasel, Columbia, grand president of the Pennsylvania Catholic Beneficial League, and by the Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, pastor of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church here, were among the highlights of the 25th anniversary program held Monday night by the Queen of Peace Council of the PCBL at the Battlefield hotel.

Mr. Kasel commended the council on its charitable and social work during the past 25 years and paid tribute to Edgar P. Hamilton and Charles E. Swisher, of the Father Corby Council of the PCBL for their work in forming the two councils in St. Francis Xavier parish. The Rev. Father Stock congratulated the council on its work during the past 25 years and gave a resume of the work of the council for the parish during the quarter century.

Miss Mary Ramer, one of the charter members of the Queen of Peace Council, acted as master of ceremonies. Mrs. Ralph Menchey, present president of the council gave an address of welcome. "The Chanters," a musical group including Miss Marie Robinson, Mrs. Marie McGlaughlin, Mrs. Noel Flynn, Mrs. Charles Myers, Miss Madolyn Culp and Miss Mary Claire Myers sang a number of songs during the program held following a dinner at the hotel.

### List Many "Firsts"

Grand President and Mrs. Kasel presented the council with 25 red roses. Mrs. Bertha Culp, program chairman, presented a "broadcast over the PCBL network" assisted by the Chanters. Mrs. Culp gave a resume of the early years of the Queen of Peace Council during which she named those who secured the honor of being "first" in various endeavors. With each mention of a "first" a gift was given to the person and the Chanters sang an appropriate song. She told first of Andrew Mickley, only member of the Father Corby council to die during the first World War.

Mrs. Zita Ramer Faber attended the first convention, Mrs. Culp said. Mrs. Faber was presented with a quart of beer decorated with pretzels.

Mrs. Noel Flynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swisher, the "first baby," of the council was presented with a tiny baby blanket while Mrs. Myers sang a lullaby.

Miss Mary Ramer was presented with a gift. The Chanters sang "Silver Moon," for Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hamilton who were married while Mr. Hamilton was organizing the Queen of Peace council.

Mrs. Wilbur J. Stallsmith, "first bride," was presented with a corsage.

### Honor Oldest Member

Among the charitable activities of the council reported by Mrs. Culp was the furnishing of a room at the local hospital for which the council agreed to purchase furniture whenever needed. A convent fund was started by the Council. Contributions to and work done for the Red Cross, Civil Nurse and Fire company were also outlined. Father Stock was presented with a carton of cigarettes for his assistance to the council since coming here in 1921.

The Chanters sang "For Your Friends Are My Friends," in commemorating the social activities of the group. The Chanters also sang "Down South," from a minstrel show held by the council in 1940 when it was host to the state convention.

The group has had nineteen presidents since its establishment of whom 13 are still living. Mrs. Annie Cunningham was presented with a corsage as the "oldest and most active member."

### Other Speakers

The songs "Over There" and "We're Marching on to Victory," concluded the "Broadcast from the PCBL network." Miss Mary Claire Myers, youngest member of the PCBL here presented a piano solo "Español" followed by an encore "Clare de Lune" by Dubussy.

Besides Mr. Kasel and Father Stock, other speakers included Mrs. Lucy Smiley Heimenz, Charles Edward Swisher, Charles Stock, and James Trappnell, grand vice president of the PCBL.

The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. Father Stock while the Rev. Fr. Norbert Sukowski gave the benediction. The program closed with the hymn "Holy God We Praise Thy Name."

The list of officers in 1918 when the council was organized was announced as Miss Emma Frommyer (now Mrs. W. J. Stallsmith), president; Mrs. Charles Cook, vice president; Miss Zita Ramer (Mrs. Fred Faber) chancellor.

### Present Officers

Mrs. Charles E. Swisher, treasurer; Miss Ruth Hamilton, recording secretary; Miss Mary Ramer, financial secretary; Miss Margaret Twomey, orator; Mrs. Herald Hazzan, marshal; and Mrs. Harvey Alt-hoff, guard.

Present officers are: President, Mrs. Ralph Menchey; vice president, Miss Mary Ramer; chancellor, Mrs. C. E. Swisher; treasurer, Mrs. Wilbur Stallsmith; recording secretary, Mrs. G. Noel Flynn; financial secretary, Mrs. Bernard Hemler; orator, Miss Genevieve Rose; marshal, Miss Mary Little, and guard, Mrs. Rebecca Martin.

The committee in charge of the

## Rev. Leedy To Be Memorial Speaker

The Rev. Paul D. Leedy, pastor of the Gettysburg Methodist church, has accepted an invitation to deliver the address at the annual G. A. R. memorial service to be conducted in the post room on East Middle street Sunday afternoon, May 23, at 2 o'clock.

Carrying on a G. A. R. tradition, the Sons of Veterans' officers will conduct the memorial ritual of the Civil War veterans at the service. In the days when there were surviving veterans black draped chairs at the front of the room indicated the number of comrades who had died since the previous Memorial Day.

The service is open to the public.

## REV. R. W. BAKER HEADS 1ST S.S. DISTRICT STAFF

Approximately 100 persons, including 58 registered delegates representing 11 of the 14 schools in the district, attended the 36th annual convention of the First District of the Adams County Sunday School association, Sunday afternoon, at the Methodist church.

The Rev. Ralph W. Baker, Gettysburg, was elected president succeeding Charles Gentzler, East Berlin.

Other officers named were vice-president, Thomas J. Winebrenner, of Gettysburg; secretary, Miss Helen Paxton, of Gettysburg; treasurer, Mrs. Florence Grindler, of Gettysburg; superintendent of children's work, Mrs. Richard C. Lighter, Cumberland township; superintendent of evangelism, the Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas, of Gettysburg; superintendent of missionary and temperance work, Miss Emma Howard, of Gettysburg; superintendent of young peoples' work, the Rev. William P. Quillian, Jr., and Mrs. Henry T. Bream, both of Gettysburg; superintendent of adult work, the Rev. A. R. Longanecker, of Gettysburg; Christian education, the Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putnam, Gettysburg, and advisory member, C. C. Culp.

Following the registration a song service was conducted by the Rev. R. B. Rau which was followed by devotions by the Rev. Paul D. Leedy, pastor of the host church. Reports of officers and committees were given and new officers elected. It was reported that all schools in the district had an average attendance of about 60 per cent of the enrollment.

### Dr. Heim Speaks

It was voted to pay \$20 on the county pledge and \$160 was pledged to the county organization for the coming year.

Following the installation of officers by Mr. Gentzler the Rev. Dr. Ralph D. Heim, of the Lutheran Theological seminary, spoke on "The Armor of God."

The convention closed with conferees led by the following: Mrs. Richard Lighter, children's division; the Rev. Dr. W. F. Quillian, young people's division, and the Rev. Mr. Baker, adult's division.

## THESPIANS AT ANNUAL DINNER

The Mask and Wig dramatic club of Gettysburg high school held its annual banquet at the Battlefield hotel, Wednesday evening, when eight seniors were announced as eligible for dramatic club letters and the "Best Thespian" awards for the year were announced.

Phillip Ridinger was named as the "Best Thespian" of the year. Second award went to William Roth.

Miss Ruth A. McIlhenny, club advisor, announced that eight seniors are eligible to receive "dramatic letters" for their activities in school productions during the last year. The list includes: William Roth, Philip Ridinger, Sterling Cole, Betty Robert, Ethel Geisey, Cathelene Everly, John Shoop and Sebastian Hafer.

Twenty-six members and eleven guests attended the banquet. Ethel Geisey, president of the club, presided as toastmistress.

## Local Women At State Meeting

Mrs. J. Walter Coleman, president of the Women's club of Gettysburg and Mrs. A. Harrison Barr, a past president, were among the members from here attending the 46th annual convention Tuesday of the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's clubs at Harrisburg.

A highlight of the meeting, according to The Associated Press was a report on the organization's wartime nursing scholarships which provided \$5,000 to aid 22 young women receive hospital training.

Program included Miss Mary Ramer, chairman, Mrs. Ralph Menchey, Mrs. J. Walter Coleman, Mrs. Fred S. Faber, Mrs. G. Noel Flynn, Miss Mary Little, Mrs. Charles J. Myers, Mrs. G. H. Roth, Mrs. George W. Stock, Mrs. Swisher and Mrs. Charles R. Zhes.

## 89 MEMBERS ARE ENROLLED IN CHAMBER

The "future of the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce was definitely assured" last Friday evening, when the membership committee reported that 89 members had been enrolled for 1943.

"The response of Gettysburg merchants and professional men to the drive was most encouraging," Chairman Ralph Z. Oyer said at the conclusion of the session held in the chamber offices on Baltimore street. "We have gained 55 new members and 34 of the former members have renewed their memberships. As a result the Chamber's future is definitely assured."

A number of additional members are expected to join within the next few weeks, solicitors reported. They pointed out they had been unable to contact a number of former members who had previously intimated their desire to continue in the group, and that they expected to see the men in the next few days.

### Promise to Join

A number of merchants asked for an extension of time to allow them to "think the matter over," and a number of others reported they would join "as soon as able," committee members said. Cards asking solicitors to "call back" at certain dates were shown by solicitors who said they will make the calls within the coming week.

With only 11 more memberships necessary to put the number up to the 100 mark, the committee decided to allow the drive to remain open during the next few weeks. They pointed out that anyone wishing to become a member may either call the Chamber of Commerce office or get in touch with the solicitor who previously called.

The committee reported 100 per cent membership from the town's drug stores, and an increase in the number of professional men belonging to the group.

Eight auto service establishments, both banks, the airport, many of the beauty parlors, grocery stores and hardware stores are members, the committee reported.

### Renewal Members

The list of renewals follows: Rea & Derick, Inc., Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, Dr. B. N. Wolf, Burgoon & Yingling, Sherman's store, George M. Zerling, A. E. Hutchison garage, M. A. Hartley company, Peoples drug store, Gettysburg Throwing company, A & P store, The Gettysburg Times, Gettysburg Furniture company, Reaser Furniture company, Gettysburg Panel company, Reading Railroad company, Gettysburg Water company, Victor Products corporation (2), G. C. Murphy company, BPOE, United Telephone company, Metropolitan Edison company (2), Bender funeral home, Lippy's tailor shop, R. W. Wentz & Son, Citizens Oil company, Nick Meligakes, Hotel Gettysburg, National Military park, First National bank, Coffman Fisher company, Majestic theatre, Rimmel print shop.

New Members  
Two organizations, the Victor Products corporation and the Metropolitan Edison company secured two memberships apiece, it was announced.

The list of new members include: Adams County Novelty company, C. A. Willis, Gettysburg National bank, Paul Plank, Glenn L. Bream, Benders Cut Rate store, Rose Ann Shoppe, Shuman's Cut Rate store, William E. Knox grocery, Gallagher's Food store, Wayside Flower shop, John H. Kadel, Dan Sheeler Furniture mart, Blocher's Jewelry store, Richard Bircher airport, Luther Sachs, Sherman's grocery, Anne's Beauty shop, John Baschore, Penrose Myers, Gettysburg Hardware, H. T. Maring, Ditzler's Appliance store, Minter's grocery, Martin Shoe store, Donald P. McPherson, Morris Gittlin, Fleetwing Service station.

Gettysburg Fire company, Reel Tire shop, Redding's grocery, John Brehm, tailor; Dr. C. H. Johnson, Timmins Electric company, Britcher & Bender drug store, Gettysburg Ice & Storage, J. C. Lower company, Schwartz Farm Supply, John S. Teeter & Son, Dr. Raymond Sheely, Eagle's Lodge, Lawrence Oyer, postmaster; James P. Cargas, Majestic Grill; Anna Bierer Specialty shop, P. W. Stallsmith, Keith, Bigham & Markley, Acme Market, Faber's, Jacobs Grocery store, Home Furnishing company, Dr. R. D. Wickerham, The National garage, Central Chemical corporation, Philip Bikle, insurance.

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Tilberg, Gettysburg R. D., left last Friday for St. Louis, Missouri, where Doctor Tilberg will represent the local Rotary club at the annual conference of Rotary International.

The annual session is open only to official representatives of the various Rotary clubs, it has been announced, and because of war rationing only those delegates were called who were necessary for the business to be discussed. Doctor Tilberg is president-elect of the local club and will take office July 1.

They are making the trip by air.

## Firemen Petition Corporation Papers

Articles of incorporation as a non-profit corporation were filed for the Hampton Fire company at the court house Friday.

The incorporators Harvey W. Herman, Julius Schimmel, V. M. Bosserman, H. R. Kime, L. E. Moul and Jonas H. Wolfe, list the purpose of the company to "associate together to operate a fire company for the protection of the lives and properties of the residents of the village of Hampton, Reading township, and surrounding territory, from the hazards of fire and in furtherance of said purpose to own or lease real estate and personal property." The directors are Harvey W. Herman, Julius Schimmel and V. M. Bosserman. The fire company lists \$2,000 assets.

The incorporation papers were filed by Attorney J. Francis Yake, Jr. The company has operated for a number of years.

## MISS EBERHART IS HONORED BY NCCW DEANERY

Miss Mary Eberhart, Chambersburg street, was named life member of the board of the Conewago Deanery of the National Council of Catholic Women at the May meeting of the group held Sunday afternoon at the school hall in Bonneauville.

The election of Miss Eberhart was in recognition of her work in establishing the local and diocesan councils of the NCCW, it was stated.

Mrs. Frank Borries, New Oxford, was re-elected president of the Conewago deanery with Mrs. Evelyn Chrismer, Bonneauville, named as vice president; Miss Catherine E. Miller, Buchanan Valley, secretary, and Miss Anna Weaver, Littlestown, treasurer.

### Priests Speak

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Patrick P. McGee, McSherrystown; the Rev. Leo Kritchen, of Bonneauville; the Rev. John Onofrey, of Fairfield, and the Rev. John Weber, of Littlestown, were among those who gave short addresses at the session. Nearly 200 women from the local councils of the NCCW in Adams county attended the session. Councils are located at Gettysburg, Fairfield, Buchanan Valley, McSherrystown, Littlestown, New Oxford and Conewago.

Reports on activities of the NCCW councils in the USO, study clubs, Red Cross and church affairs during the past year were presented by the various outgoing presidents.

The group voted to select delegations from each council to go to Paradise Protectory during the late summer and fall to help with the harvesting and canning of the crops being raised there.

## U.S. Engineers Seek Trained Men

Workers who are near induction into the armed forces and wish to continue their trades when they enter the Army now have the opportunity to volunteer for assignment in the Army's Corps of Engineers which has established a voluntary induction procedure for skilled specialists, it was announced Wednesday by F. F. Chafin and Lt. John J. Silva, who came here from Washington, D. C., in the interest of recruiting men for this corps.

Construction men, mechanics and technicians may volunteer for any of 82 jobs open in the corps and the officers said voluntary enlistment is accepted by Selective Service boards if the applicants volunteer before their draft numbers come up. Men between the ages of 18 and 50 years are acceptable.

There are opportunities for advancement and officers' commissions in the corps, it was stated. Detailed information is available by calling personally at or writing to the District Engineer, U. S. Engineer Office, 1st and Douglas streets, Washington, D. C.

Major Raphael E. Kittinger, Camp Hill, will deliver the address at the annual Memorial Day services to be held in the Union cemetery, Fairfield, Sunday afternoon, May 30, at 2 o'clock.

The program will be as follows: "Reveille," Fairfield high school band; invocation, the Rev. Fr. John J. Onofrey, rector of St. Mary's Catholic church, Fairfield; cornet solo, Maybent Benner, accompanied by the band; reading, Mrs. Ira M. Henderson; Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, Robert Willis; vocal solo, Mrs. Charles Lott, accompanied by the band; address, Major Kittinger; benediction, the Rev. Emmert G. Colestock, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield; taps; selection by the band.

In the event of inclement weather the program will be held in the Community hall at Fairfield.

BACCALAUREATE SPEAKER  
The Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas, pastor of the Memorial United Brethren church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of Shippensburg State Teachers' college Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## DR. J. M. MYERS IS INSTALLED AT SEMINARY

Dr. Jacob Martin Myers, for two years an instructor at the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary and for the last 13 years pastor of Grace Lutheran church at Two Taverns, was installed last Thursday afternoon as the West Pennsylvania Synod professor of Hebrew and Old Testament Literature and Theology at the seminary in a special service conducted in the Church of the Abiding Presence.

The formal installation was conducted by Dr. George A. Greiss, Allentown, president of the board of directors of the institution, after Doctor Myers had been presented by Dr. Norman S. Wolf, Bloomsburg, secretary of the board. The theme of Doctor Myers' address was "The Old Testament Today."

The installation service was conducted at 3:30 o'clock and opened with an academic procession. Dr. Abdel Ross Wentz, president of the seminary, conducted the service and gave the prayer. The prayer following Doctor Myers' address was given by Dr. Herbert C. Alleman, whose position on the faculty Doctor Myers is filling.

### Stresses Old Testament

Emphasizing the importance of the Old Testament throughout his address, Doctor Myers declared: "Without the Old Testament, the New Testament is likely to evaporate into speculative theology. There is no more truthful and forthright treatise on history and religion than is found in the Old Testament."

He continued: "Twentieth century iconoclasts argue that the Old Testament must be rejected because it is Jewish literature presenting a Jewish god with nothing in common with the Christian God. The basis of these attitudes are race prejudice and jealousies. Our attitudes are always born of understanding or lack of it and it often seems there is more heat than light in many of the attacks on the Old Testament verities. Many of the vital truths of the Old Testament are buried to all but the specialists."

### Faith, Endurance

Declaring that Old Testament figures are living testimonies of faith and endurance, Doctor Myers stated emphatically: "Never forget that the Old Testament was the Bible of the Christian Church in its formative state and that it was the Bible that Jesus knew. Any repudiation of the Old Testament soon will be followed by an undermining of the New. Freedom, morality and responsibility are basic principles emphasized by the Old Testament."

The new professor then reviewed historical backgrounds, social relationships and other aspects of Hebrew life in the Old Testament and then turned to a discussion of the conduct of the Old Testament department under his administration at the seminary. He declared he sees no valid reason for changing the general organization of the department as it operated under Dr. Alleman.

He spoke forcefully of his belief in the importance of a thorough knowledge of ancient history and archaeology for a full appreciation of the Old and New Testaments and spoke of projected studies of the prophets, Psalms and the wisdom literature.

### Graduation Tonight

Declaring that prospective ministers need more than "a second hand acquaintance with the Bible by casual reading in modern translations," he spoke of the need for a knowledge of Hebrew for Bible study.

The new professor is a graduate of Gettysburg college in the class of 1927 and of the seminary in 1930. He received his first doctorate from Temple in 1937.

## School Taxes Must Be Paid By June 1

In a display advertisement in The Gettysburg Times Monday, Tax Collector J. Herbert Weikert warns local residents whose 1942 school taxes are not yet paid that he is required to make settlement with the local school authorities by June 1. Taxes not paid by that date will be turned over to the school officials in the form of lien applications, he stated.

"It is too expensive to send monthly reminders to delinquents," Mr. Weikert said. "I have already sent the tax notice and a follow up letter and have run six ads in The Times calling attention to the need for tax payments. I feel that anybody not making regular monthly payments is not making an honest effort to pay his taxes."

About \$6,000 remains outstanding on the '42 school tax duplicate, the collector said.

## Two Wills Are Placed On File

The will of Anna Elizabeth McLaughlin, late of Fairfield, has been entered at the court house. George E. McLaughlin is named as executor of the \$6,300 estate.

The will of Roy G. Miller, late of McSherrystown, has also been filed. The widow, Mrs. Cecilia Marie Miller, is executor of the \$1,300 estate.

## NEW OPA FORMS PUT IN MAILS

Gettysburg and other Adams county postmasters began Thursday the distribution through the mails of application forms for War Ration Book Three. Each postmaster distributes the forms to all customers in the area served by his office.

Distribution of the application forms is to be completed by June 5 and the completed applications must be placed in the mail by midnight June 10, it has been announced. The application forms must bear a three-cent postage stamp, it was pointed out.

The new War Ration books are to be mailed out between June 20 and July 20.

Postmasters urged that individuals use special care in filling out the blanks for the name and address on the application forms. That entry will be used as the address for the return of the new ration book and unless it is legible the book cannot be delivered to the person for whom it is intended, it was explained.

## OPERETTA TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

The pupils of Hamiltonban consolidated school will present the operetta, "Mother Goose," by Austin Sawyer in the Fairfield Community hall tonight at 8 o'clock. The production is under the supervision of Miss Mary L. Pretz, music instructor of the school.

The cast of characters is as follows: "Mother Goose," Mary Margaret Izer; "Little Jack Horner," Paul Dudaish; the cat, Carol Dolly; "Old King Cole," William J. Sites; "Little Polly Flinders," Mary Jean Metz; the pie-man, Thomas Izer; "Little Bo-Peep," Helen Steinberger; "Little Boy Blue," George Musselman; "Queen of Hearts," Wanda Currens.

Members of the chorus will be, Robert McKee, Thomas Dolly, Harold Carson, Charles Deardoff, Lorraine Sites, Phyllis Helm, Janice Myers, Charlotte Sites, Mary Louise Deardoff, Lottie Reese, Shirley Ann Geigley, Paul Clapsdahl, Lella Mae Sites, Doris Kint, Paye Dolly, Ellen Slonaker, Nancy Entenmann, Janet Carey, William Singley, Catherine McClellan, Mary Paterson, Betty Ann Myers, Luther Dick, Florence Paterson, Noma McClellan, Nina Sites, Grace Cassatt, Alice Ketterman, Geraldine Scott, Mary Musselman, Lloyd Myers, Clyde Kepner, Catharine Reese, Richard Dolly.

## 100 Couples At USO Dance Saturday

Approximately 100 couples attended the USO dance held Saturday night at the college gymnasium for members of the 55th college training detachment and soldiers on leave in the county.

The dance was under the supervision of a committee from the Woman's club of Gettysburg, headed by Mrs. Austin Lange, assisted by a committee from the American Legion Auxiliary with Mrs. J. E. Cordi as chairman. The Auxiliary committee will be in full charge of a similar dance May 29 at the gymnasium, it was announced. Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh, chairman of the USO committee under which the various club committees work, stated today that "Bill" Jones orchestra had been secured for the dance May 29.

## Report Thursday For Service Duty

Six Adams county boys, all of whom were students at Gettysburg college, will report at New Cumberland Thursday for induction into the armed forces. They enlisted as members of the Army Reserves while attending college.

The group includes Wayne Bucher, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Bucher, Gettysburg; Robert Fortenbaugh, son of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh, Gettysburg; Robert Deardoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Erle Deardoff, Gettysburg; Maurice Weaver, son of Mrs. Maurice Weaver, Gettysburg; Richard Ridinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ridinger, Gettysburg, and Bruce Raffensperger, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Raffensperger, Arendtsville.

## Earl W. Guise Out For Sheriff Again

Earl W. Guise, Straban township farmer who was the Democratic nominee for sheriff four years ago and missed election by 62 votes, announced today that he will be a candidate again this year for the same office.

Mr. Guise is the first member of his party to announce for the post. He never held a county office but has served on the Straban township school board for a number of years and is now its president.

PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN  
George E. Hikes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Hikes, Gardeners, was recently promoted to captain at Camp Croft, South Carolina.

Capt. Hikes' marriage to Lt. Alexine M. Gandy, Florence, S. C., on November 7, 1942, was recently announced.

## Arrest Pair For Surety Of Peace

George Gingell and William Tulley, both of Fairfield R. D., were arrested Tuesday evening by Chief of Police Glenn Guise on charges of surety of the peace brought by William Carson, Hamiltonban township, before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore. A charge of assault and battery was also laid by Carson against Tulley.

The two men were released on their own recognizance for a hearing before Justice Baschore, May 25.

## NEW GROUP OF CADETS ARRIVES

The third contingent of Army Air Corps cadets, assigned to the 55th College Training Detachment at Gettysburg college, arrived in Gettysburg early last Friday morning from an undisclosed camp. The number of men in the group was also a military secret.

Captain John R. Coshey met the contingent at the Western Maryland station. Captain Kendall B. Gedney and one non-commissioned officer were in charge of the group aboard the train. The men had been served their meals on the train while en route to Gettysburg.

After arriving here they were taken to the Eddie Plank memorial gymnasium where, after they were "checked in," they spent the remainder of the morning. Later the men were assigned to rooms in dormitories on the campus where they were permitted to rest until noon.

This afternoon they were given a physical examination, heard an orientation lecture by Captain Coshey and were issued bedding for their stay in Gettysburg.

The new group replaces Flight "E" which left last week for advanced training at other camps.

## Archbishop Meets County Soldier

Mrs. John C. Flesham, New Oxford, recently received a letter from the office of the Most Rev. Francis Spellman, Archbishop of New York, stating that the Archbishop had met her son, Lieut. (J. G.) Fred Flesham during his tour of inspection of American troops in England and Africa and that Lieut. Flesham is "well and happy."

The letter was sent over the signature of the Rev. William T. McCarty, C.S.S.R., D.D., secretary to His Excellency the archbishop.

The letter said, "It is a great pleasure for me to inform you that His Excellency, Archbishop Spellman, has sent word that he met your son, and that he is well and happy."

"I am sure that you are most grateful to the Archbishop for this good news and that you will say a prayer for his safety."

"Asking God and His Blessed Mother to continue to protect you and yours. I remain, Sincerely yours, William T. McCarty, C.S.S.R."

## Lions Club Votes \$10 To YWCA Here

Directors of the Gettysburg Lions club at a meeting following the weekly dinner session of the club members voted \$10 Monday evening to the Gettysburg YWCA as the annual contribution from the Lions.

At the club meeting President William A. Beales named Lions Glenn L. Bream, D. E. Hess and Dr. R. D. Wickerham to a committee to consider summer plans for the club meetings. No meeting will be held Monday, May 31, it was decided.

The meeting was held at Mrs. Smith's restaurant. District Governor Ives Harvey of Williamsport was to have addressed the clubmen but was unable to be present.

## To Cover Stairway At Spotter Post

Work on enclosing the steel stairway leading from the third floor of the First National bank building to the spotter station on the roof was scheduled to start Wednesday according to an announcement by Chief Observer Wilbur J. Stallsmith.

Mr. Stallsmith reported on the plans for covering the stairway with canvas at a meeting of the spotter station staff held Tuesday evening at the court house.

A report from Captain Lowell T. Geddes of the Army Air corps who recently completed an inspection of the posts in the county was presented. It showed the local spotter post to be in "A-1" shape.

An appeal for adults to serve as spotters during the daytime was made. Rearrangement of the schedule for spotters caused by the closing of the college, seminary and other schools disclosed a number of vacancies during daytime hours.

## Richard B. Thomas Reports For Duty

Richard B. "Dick" Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas, of Gettysburg, reported for Army duty at New Cumberland Monday.

Mr. Thomas who graduated from Princeton university last January had enlisted in the Army last summer and was placed in the Army Enlisted Reserve.

## 22 GRADUATED FROM SEMINARY FRIDAY EVENING

Twenty-two prospective Lutheran pastors received the degree of bachelor of divinity, last Friday evening, at the 117th annual graduation exercises of the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary, conducted in The Church of the Abiding Presence on the campus.

Dr. Abdel Ross Wentz, president of the seminary, delivered the baccalaureate sermon and conferred the degrees. Post graduate baccalaureate and master's degrees were given 14 ministers from Pennsylvania, Maryland, New York and New Jersey, many of them alumni of the seminary.

The degree of master of sacred theology was awarded to these men: The Revs. Robert Calvin Benner, Oberlin, Pa.; Harold Doebler, Lafayette Hill, Pa.; Myles Russell Smeltz, Potts Grove, Pa., and Harry Edward Zech, Fayetteville.

### Post-Graduates

Post-graduate degrees of bachelor



Japan's Fleet Chief Who Plotted Pearl Harbor Attack Killed At Sea

Washington, May 21 (AP)—News of the death of Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, Japanese fleet chief, came as a surprise today to American Naval men who said they were unaware of any sea-air combat in April sufficiently important to have claimed the attention of Japan's ranking officer. No American sources confirmed the death and reaction ranged from calm expressions of interest to frankly skeptical comment on Tokyo's account of how the admiral met his death.

New York, May 21 (AP)—The Tokyo radio announced today that Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, commander in chief of the combined Japanese fleet, who boasted he would dictate peace terms in the White House, was killed "on the very front lines of the south" while directing operations against Allied Naval forces from an airplane.

A Tokyo radio announcer, in a voice which broke with emotion, gave the news to the Japanese people with these words from the official Japanese announcement: "An Imperial headquarters communique issued on May 21 at 3 p. m. (Japan time)—Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, commander in chief of the combined fleet, while directing general strategy on the front line in April of this year, engaged in combat with the enemy and met a gallant death on a warplane." A subsequent broadcast set the locale of his death in the south.

Hatred for U. S.

Presumably the "very front lines of the south" referred to the waters north of Australia, in the New Guinea or Solomon Islands area where there have been frequent naval encounters.

Yamamoto was possessed of a consuming hatred of the United States, acquired in his youth when his father told him of the "barbarians who had come in their black ships, broken down the doors of Japan, threatened the Son of Heaven, trampled upon ancient customs, demanded indemnities."

His military training started at the age of six, but he later switched to the Navy because, he said he wanted to "return Commodore Perry's visit."

A Domei dispatch broadcast by the Tokyo radio after Pearl Harbor quoted him as writing: "Any time war breaks out between Japan and the United States, I shall not be content merely to capture Guam and the Philippines and occupy Hawaii and San Francisco. I am looking forward to dictating peace to the United States in the White House at Washington." Yamamoto spoke English fluently.

Upset Naval Confab

Yamamoto was Japan's foremost advocate of combined sea and air power and was known as one of the most able Naval strategists in the empire.

As spokesman for the Tokyo Naval command he torpedoed the London Naval conference of 1934, smashing the whole structure of Naval limitations and ending the building truce that gave the Pacific ocean two decades of peace.

The broadcast added that Admiral Mineichi Koga had been named Yamamoto's successor and "already was in command." Koga formerly was commander of the Japanese fleet in Chinese waters.

Yamamoto, who was 59, was graduated from the Japanese Naval academy in 1904, just in time to fight in the Russian-Japanese war as an ensign. He lost two fingers of his left hand while serving aboard Admiral Togo's flagship in the battle of Tsushima.

His work in torpedoing the London Naval conference won him promotion to the rank of vice admiral.

Then Lost Face

Yamamoto, whose name means "base of a mountain," received the personal congratulations of Emperor Hirohito for directing the operations of the Japanese Navy during the campaign in the Philippines. He also received the Emperor's commendation for the sinking of the British battleship Prince of Wales and the battle cruiser Repulse during the Malayan campaign.

His stock fell, however, as a result of the Japanese Navy's setbacks at the Coral sea and at Midway at the hands of American forces, and there was speculation in America that these reverses might even compel him to commit hara-kiri.

It was Yamamoto who planned the treacherous attack on Pearl Harbor, which set off the Pacific war, and Japanese Navy Minister Shigetaro Shimada paid tribute to this trickery today as an operation "which amazed the world."

ARRIVED OVERSEAS

Ensign Charles D. Binning, a Gettysburg college alumnus, has arrived safely at his destination overseas, according to information received here.

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Torrential Rains Flood Gettysburg And Adams County; Severe Damage

Torrential rains that reached near-deluge proportions and the worst recorded in Gettysburg and Adams county in many years swept through this area Thursday night and caused untold damage.

The destruction, so widespread and so varied, could not be correlated from the various points today but some observers estimated that the damage may reach thousands of dollars.

Trees Uprooted; Cellars Flooded

Some trees were uprooted; a forty-foot retaining wall along the Tiber was smashed and washed away; highways and streets were flooded some as much as eighteen inches; a two-foot, 560-pound piece of terra cotta pipe was lifted by the surging waters and carried for a distance of more than 50 feet; cellars were flooded with as much as five feet of water.

At the Glenn L. Bream garage, Buford avenue, four to five feet of water flooded the basement and about 14 inches covered the first floor necessitating the removal of many automobiles in the display room. About 500 gallons of gasoline was reported ruined when water seeped into one of the storage tanks.

Heavy Damage To Farm Crops

Victory gardens were reported to have been the hardest hit with acres of land, much of it newly planted, washed out. It was impossible to secure an estimate of the loss from this source but nearly every gardener reported heavy losses, some declaring "we haven't a thing left."

Tons of earth were swept from freshly planted corn fields and fields of oats where the sprouting seed was washed into nearby streams or piled deep with mud at the foot of hundreds of slopes in farming sections. No estimates were available today on the probable amount of damage to growing crops in the county.

At the Arendtsville laboratory it was reported that 18 inches of rain fell from about 8 o'clock Thursday evening until this morning making the total for the last 48 hours 2.85 inches. Rain has fallen on 11 consecutive days, it was reported at the laboratory.

Destroy Preserves

Jars of fruits and cans of preserves in many cellars were lost, one householder reporting that a huge cabinet, filled with cans and jars of fruit, was smashed by the raging waters that burst into his basement, shattering the cabinet and ruining the foodstuffs.

Washing machines and other electrical appliances in many cellars were badly damaged with some reported destroyed. Electric and gas water heaters were put out of service and gas company employees were called to homes to turn off the gas to avoid further destruction.

At the Herman Mertz property, corner of Springs avenue and West street, 14 inches of water was reported on the front lawn. This is the highwater mark at that spot since the Mertz family acquired the property in 1868.

50 Telephones Out

Borough and public utility employees worked most of the night as the downpour of rain, flooding dozens of areas in town, indicated heavy damage. Borough workers assisted police in diverting traffic around flooded areas. Despite this precaution many cars were stalled and drivers waited in nearby homes until the downpour ceased.

Fifty telephones were reported out of service by the United Telephone company.

The Metropolitan Edison company reported only minor fuse trouble shortly before noon today.

The Gettysburg Gas corporation reported minor trouble, their activities being confined to the shutting off of gas service at the request of the consumers.

Fence Washed Away

A fence was washed away in the Springs avenue area and some trees were uprooted.

Burgess Fred G. Pfeffer, several councilmen and Borough Engineer Winebrenner were on duty most of the night and early today assisting in relieving the flood conditions in town.

Many gardens and lawns in the west end of town were strewn this morning with garbage, cans, bottles and other debris that had been washed from an area at the end of West High street.

\$1,500 Damage at Garage

An estimated \$1,500 damage occurred to the Glenn L. Bream garage where the waters seeped into gasoline tanks, filled the cellar and flooded the garage proper and office.

Employees of the company estimated this morning that between 400 and 500 gallons of gasoline was ruined by water seeping into the tanks and said that that figure would probably have to be revised upward before a check on the

FLOODS SWEEP 100,000 OUT OF VALLEY HOMES

(By The Associated Press)

Spreading waters from the rambling Mississippi and Missouri rivers brought added concern to southern Illinois and Missouri today as other smaller streams in six mid-west states rose relentlessly, causing further widespread destruction in the flood-stricken zone.

As the two big rivers joined together early today some 10 miles northwest of the normal confluence near Alton, Ill., the number of persons driven from their homes by the disastrous floods was close to 100,000—as estimated by Red Cross officials and other observers.

Red Cross Active

Hundreds of civilian recruits—including high school boys and girls in some towns—labored throughout the night in towns regarded as in imminent danger, aiding engineers and soldiers in the struggle to hold back the surging waters.

Red Cross officials rushed relief to the stricken families and government engineers and soldiers aided civilians in evacuating homes in hundreds of towns and cities and farms. The Red Cross office at St. Louis said that in Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas and Oklahoma, more than 80,000 were homeless, while in Indiana an estimated 12,000 were forced to flee their homes. The number left homeless in Kansas, the sixth state affected by the flood, was not calculated.

Farms Inundated

While thousands of farm lands were inundated in the six states and damage to crops was estimated at millions of dollars, there was a degree of optimism concerning the crop situation expressed by crop experts in Chicago.

They said the most serious aspect of the flood situation as it applied to the nation's food supply concerned corn, planting of which had been delayed by the floods. But, they said, it was considered possible that this loss of time would be made up by warm, sunny weather during the summer.

CHARLES LOTT IS NEW C.E. HEAD

Charles Lott, Fairfield, was elected president of the Adams County Christian Endeavor Union at the monthly board meeting held recently in the YWCA.

Lott replaces Dean Stover, of Littlestown, who held the office for three terms. Other officers elected were: First vice president, Lois Yealy, Littlestown; second vice president, Rosea Armor, Gettysburg; corresponding secretary, Myrtle Raffensperger, Biglerville; recording secretary, Angeline Peesler, Littlestown; treasurer, Margaret Benner, Mt. Joy, and pastoral counselors, the Rev. H. O. Sipe of Biglerville and the Rev. Kenneth James of Littlestown.

It was also announced that the annual convention will be held in St. James Lutheran church Friday, June 11. Warren Hoopes, general secretary of the state C. E. will be the speaker. Miss Margaret Benner is chairman of the committee arranging the event.

GAR MEMORIAL SERVICE SUNDAY

A general invitation to all residents of the county to attend the annual Grand Army of the Republic memorial services Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the post room on East Middle street, has been issued by Commander George N. Coshun of the Sons of Veterans who will be in charge of the program.

The Rev. Paul D. Leedy, pastor of the Gettysburg Methodist church, will be the speaker. The Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas, pastor of the United Brethren church, will deliver the invocation and benediction, it has been announced.

Final plans for the program will be completed at a meeting of the Sons of Union Veterans at the post rooms this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Hennig's Blue Ribbon Bread on sale at your favorite grocery.

Extend Dates For Blue Food Stamps To Avoid Buying Rush

Washington, May 21 (AP)—To avert an end of the month buying rush, the Office of Price Administration today extended for one week the expiration date of blue stamps G, H and J in War Ration Book No. 2.

Previously scheduled to expire May 31, the three processed foods stamps will be good through June 7. OPA at the same time made the next three sets of blue stamps—K, L and M—good beginning Monday, May 24, and extended their expiration date from the end of June to July 7.

Blue stamps G, H and J which have been valid through May, and K, L and M therefore will all be valid during a two-week overlap period from May 24 to June 7.

OPA pointed out, however, that sugar and coffee stamps will expire May 30 and 31, respectively, and cautioned shoppers against waiting to spend their stamps until May 31—Memorial Day—when stores will be closed.

OFFERS "LIFER" JOB ON FARM

Donald F. Garretson, Aspers fruit grower, appeared Wednesday before the state Board of Pardons at Harrisburg as sponsor for Wilbur Mackenthun, 37, who is serving a life term for his part in the murder of C. Cameron Cook, 55-year-old bank messenger, who was shot in December, 1929, in a \$34,000 holdup.

Mr. Garretson told the board a job is waiting for Mackenthun on Garretson's farm if the pardon he asks is granted. News reports of the hearing said Mackenthun's case attracted the widest support of any of the 74 Philadelphia cases asked the state board for pardons or commutations as the board started a three-day session.

One of Mackenthun's companions, Thomas F. Martin, was executed. Another, Thomas McCaffrey, fled to Montreal, where he was hanged for murder in 1931. A third, Walter Malone, 21, was paroled four years ago because he abandoned his companions just before the holdup.

Doctor Backs Plea

Appearing in behalf of Mackenthun were Dr. Nathan Blumberg, prison physician, who praised Mackenthun's record as chief nurse of the hospital, and his willingness to serve at all hours without complaint; Frank P. Tucker, senior parole officer of Eastern State penitentiary, who said Warden Herbert Smith recommended the release, and also cited a letter from a former sergeant of the prison guards, who said Mackenthun probably saved his life during the prison riots in 1934.

Asst. District Attorney Tracey opposed the release saying Mackenthun was as guilty as the others in plotting the crime.

To Graduate From Lehigh U., Monday

Henry Garvin, Jr., 20 Reynolds street, will be among the 200 senior candidates for degrees at the 76th annual commencement exercises at Lehigh university, Bethlehem. The commencement is scheduled for Monday with Dr. Harold W. Dodds, president of Princeton university, as speaker.

The commencement program at Lehigh begins Saturday with class day exercises. The baccalaureate will be held Sunday morning.

Urge Single Request For Extra Sugar

The local War Price and Rationing board today requested citizens to ask for all the sugar they will need for canning and preserving this season on a single application form instead of making separate applications for canning and preserving. The request was made in the interest of avoiding duplication of effort for the busy board staff.

It was pointed out that certain stamps in War Ration Book No. 2 are to be made worth 10 pounds of sugar to be used for canning or preserving. Persons who do not need more than that amount need not make special applications, it was pointed out.

The application forms for the canning and preserving sugar are to be distributed through grocery stores next week. They are designated as No. R-315. The applicants' copies of War Ration Book No. 1 are to be mailed to the ration board along with the canning and preserving sugar applications.

For the purpose of determining the amount of sugar to be needed an applicant may ask for a pound for each four quarts of finished product.

Weather Forecast

Light rain tonight; cooler in west and north portions tonight and Saturday.

ADVANCEMENT AND PLAY DAY AT EAST BERLIN

Details of the Award, Advancement and Play day at East Berlin high school, Friday, May 28, have been announced by Elmer M. Gruver, supervising principal of the East Berlin schools.

The program to be held throughout the day, starting at 9 a. m., will feature the presentation of awards to the commercial students, academic and agriculture students, athletes, commandos and homes; an advancement program, and athletic events.

The distribution of awards is scheduled for first thing in the morning followed by the advancement program in which the seniors will present caps and gowns to the juniors and then take places on the stage in the school auditorium, symbolizing their advancement "into the world." The juniors will present a human skull symbolizing wisdom to the sophomores and the sophomores will move into the seats vacated by the juniors as they move up to take the places previously occupied by the seniors. The sophomores will present a large wooden key, the "key to wisdom," to the freshmen and the freshmen, before moving up to the seats vacated by the sophomores will present a lighted candle to the eighth graders who will move then from the outer edge of the auditorium to the seats vacated by the freshmen.

Appropriate songs will be sung by each class during the advancement, according to the announcement.

Athletic Contests

Athletic events are scheduled for the afternoon, starting at 12:30 o'clock. The girls will take part in the 50 yard dash, basketball throw, baseball throw, broad jump and high jump. Marching, formation of E.B.H.S. for East Berlin high school, wand drills and a Maypole drill are also scheduled for the girls.

The boys' athletic events will include the 100 yard dash, 220 yard run, high and broad jump, mile run, high and shot put, pole vault, chinling, short put, and rope climb for boys in class A, those over 120 pounds. Class B, under 120 pounds, boys will take part in the 75 yard dash, 220 yard run, one-fifth mile, two-fifth mile and four-fifth mile runs as well as the other events scheduled for Class A students.

"Rooster" Fight

A rooster fight with the seniors carrying the sophomores fighting the juniors carrying the freshmen and tugs of war between the seniors and juniors and the sophomores and freshmen are also scheduled for the afternoon. In the tug of war battles the losing teams will be drawn through a stream of water, the announcement states.

All eighth graders from surround-

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TO BROADCAST EXERCISES HERE

Gettysburg's annual Memorial Day services, May 31, will be broadcast over the nation-wide hook-up of the Mutual Broadcasting system, William L. Meals, Esq., secretary of the committee in charge, said today.

The committee has been notified by L. H. Greenhouse, Philadelphia representative of the chain, that the system plans to broadcast the program at the National cemetery which will include a speech by Governor Edward Martin. Arrangements are being completed for the program to be sent through a Baltimore station to the chain.

Dr. J. Walter Coleman, superintendent of the Gettysburg National park, will deliver Lincoln's Gettysburg address during the service.

The program will include a parade of members of the 55th Training Detachment from Gettysburg college, the county Home Guard unit, Boy Scouts, American Legion members, school children and other organizations starting at 2:30 p. m. followed by the services at the rostrum at 3 o'clock.

Stamp Sales Mount At Lincoln School

Students at Lincoln school have purchased \$19,738.90 in war stamps and bonds since the beginning of sales there January 15. It was announced today. Sales this week at the school totaled \$1,040.15.

The total amount of sales by sections follows: Section 6-1, \$207.60; 6-2, \$383.25; 7-1, \$4,235.80; 7-2, \$2,331.70; 7-3, \$952.; 8-1, \$3,858.45; 8-2, \$1,621.20; 8-3, \$6,268.90.

HOME ON LEAVE

Pvt. Donald Stanley Group, Gardeners, is home from Fort Sil, Oklahoma, on a 15-day convalescent leave. He is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

113 Axis Planes Are Destroyed By Yanks In One Day

Report Japs Leaving Attu

By the Associated Press

An Axis-controlled Vichy radio broadcast reported today that trapped Japanese forces "have begun to evacuate Attu" in the 11-day-old battle of the Aleutians, but American warships were believed standing guard to blast any attempt to escape by sea.

The Vichy report, which lacked confirmation elsewhere, gave no details.

Washington quarters, however, declared the collapse of Japanese resistance was imminent—perhaps only a matter of hours—as survivors of the hard-hit enemy garrison were tightly bottled up at Chichagof harbor at the northeast tip of the island.

American military observers said that with the fall of Attu, the big Japanese base at Kiska, 196 miles to the east, faced a complete blockade by U. S. ships and planes and could look for death.

TO MARK 67TH BUSINESS YEAR

Penrose Myers, dean of Gettysburg business men, will observe the sixty-seventh anniversary, Saturday, of the establishment of his jewelry business at 12 Baltimore street.

Mr. Myers, who has been in business in one location longer than any other Gettysburg merchant and whose establishment is one of the oldest in the state, opened for business May 22, 1876, after having served three years as an apprentice jeweler and watch repairman in Hanover. Having seen his store grow from a one-bench workshop to the present business which combines the sale and repair of watches, clocks and jewelry with the sale of souvenirs, Mr. Myers plans to continue active management of the store "for a good many more years."

Jewelers and watch repairmen trained by Mr. Myers during the years are to be found in nearly every state in the Union as well as in foreign lands. He finds much pleasure in following the success of the men he has trained.

Mr. Myers takes pride in his store, which he personally attends, and in his craftsmanship. Recently he was pleased to receive for repair a clock he sold 75 years ago. "The cleaning of the clock, the only repair needed, was the first attention the clock had had since he sold it, Mr. Myers said.

Besides being in business as a jeweler he also served one term as county treasurer and has been a life member and one of the oldest members of the Gettysburg lodge of Elks. He is a Mason and belongs to the Commandery and Shrine.

No special celebration has been planned for the anniversary.

REBEKAH LODGE HOLDS BANQUET

The Mary Gettys Rebekah lodge held its 14th annual banquet Wednesday evening at St. James Lutheran church. A turkey dinner was served by the Mite society of the church.

Decorations and the program followed a patriotic theme. A notebook and pencil was given to each attending as favors.

The program follows:

"Star Spangled Banner;" pledge of allegiance to the flag; invocation, the Rev. W. H. Hafer, Taneytown; greetings, Mrs. Paul Evans; response, George Neely, Fairfield; reading, "A Swell Affair in Rhyme," Mrs. Mervin Benner; vocal solo, Miss Viola Sachs; reading, "Lidice Lives On," Mrs. Robert Tipton; address, "Friendship, Love and Truth," the Rev. Ralph R. Gresh; reading, "The Last Degree," Jesse Snyder; presentation of jewels to past noble grand, Mrs. Dorothy Naugle and Miss Myrtle Sheely, by Mrs. Florence Grider, past district deputy president; "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and benediction, the Rev. Mr. Gresh.

The committee in charge included Mrs. Daisy E. Wierman, Mrs. Bessie Hartman, Mrs. H. H. Thomas, Mrs. William Shields and Mrs. Gladys Rudisill.

Good Evening  
Hitler is reported going nuts; we thought he'd always been there.

REPORT ALLIED RAIDERS BLAST SARDINIA'S DAM

Allied Headquarters in North Africa, May 21 (AP)—American fighters and bombers destroyed 113 enemy planes in widespread and devastating raids yesterday against Italy and Sardinia during what was officially called "one of the greatest victory days in the history of the strategic air force."

The strategic air force, under command of U.S. Maj. Gen. James H. Doolittle, is made up of U.S. heavy and medium and RAF medium bombers.

186 in 2 Days

Aircraft of a half dozen types participated in the whirlwind aerial action in which 91 Axis planes were shattered on the ground and 22 Axis pilots engaged in air combat were sent crashing in flames.

The Allied communique announced that seven of the planes shot down were Messerschmitt-323S, the huge German transports which are capable of carrying 120 men each or about 10 tons of freight.

The roll call of enemy aerial disaster thus was brought to 186 planes in two days. Allied aircraft destroyed 73 Axis planes aloft or on the ground the day before in similar heavy smashes at Italian Mediterranean bases.

Blast Big Dam

A Reuters dispatch which quoted BBC said today Allied air raiders scored direct hits yesterday on a dam in central Sardinia, recalling the RAF breaching of Germany's Moehne and Eder dams Sunday night.

The great Tiro dam, which may have been an Allied target, is in central Sardinia on the largest artificial lake in Europe, Reuters said, describing it as about the twice the size of the quarter-mile-long Eder dam.

The hydro-electric plant at Tiro dam was said to provide most of Sardinia's electrical power. The lake was described as 13 1/2 miles long and three miles wide with a storage capacity of nearly 15,000,000,000 cubic feet of water.

It was not brought out whether the dam attacked was actually breached, nor were there details of the action.

Plane Toll Is 5,172

The RAF and the U.S. A.A.F. disclosed in a joint communique that they had destroyed 5,172 Axis planes in air combats in the Mediterranean area between the entrance of Italy into the war on June 10, 1940, and the collapse of Axis resistance in Tunisia this month.

Of these 3,415 were shot down by the Middle East command squadrons, including Malta-based units, and 1,757 in the northwest African campaign.

Since the German and Italian ground forces tossed in the sponge, however, Allied airmen have brought down 89 more planes, swelling the North African total to 1,846 and the list in all the Mediterranean area to 5,261. This figure does not include hundreds of enemy planes blasted on the ground.

One American plane was lost in the destruction of the 113 enemy planes yesterday.

Planes Set Afire

Twelve of 25 Savoia-Marchetti 79S, three-engined Italian bombers, were set afire on the Milas airfield of Sardinia in attacks without a pause to give the reeling Axis air force any rest.

U.S. Flying Fortresses again raided Grosseto airfield, 90 miles north of Rome, and a spokesman said "some of the finest precision bombing of the war took place" over its hangars, administration buildings and runways.

Fifty-eight of 59 aircraft parked on the ground there were destroyed during the high altitude attack, reconnaissance photographs showed.

Assumpsit Action Is Opened Here

An action in assumpsit was instituted this morning at the court house by the Pennsylvania Railroad company. The railroad is suing the Stouck-Reaser Furniture company here.

Kain, Kain and Kain of York and Swope, Brown and Swope of Gettysburg represent the Railroad while Keith, Bigham and Markley, Esqs., are attorneys for the furniture company. No statement of claim has been filed.



# SIGNS POINT TO BIG NAZI PUSH AGAINST REDS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Is Hitler preparing a last desperate fling to crush Russia?

One of the highly important points brought out by Prime Minister Churchill in his address before the joint session of Congress was his prophecy that the Fuehrer is likely to make another all-out attempt against the Reds.

Certainly there are plenty of signs that the Nazi chief is getting set for contingencies. Reports from Moscow today—as for many days past—show continuance of fierce attack and counter-attack in the vital sector just above the strategic Black sea naval port of Novorossisk as the Bolsheviks and Boche maneuver for advantage in what is one of the gateways to the Caucasus. The way Mr. Churchill put the situation is this:

"It may well be that a further trial of strength between the German and Russian armies is impending. Russia has already inflicted injuries upon the German military organism which will, I believe, prove ultimately mortal.

"But there is little doubt that Hitler is reserving his supreme gambler's throw for a third attack to break the heart and spirit and destroy the armed forces of the mighty nation which he has already twice assaulted in vain. He will not succeed."

## Depends on Invasion

Had the prime minister seen fit to develop this point he might have given us some interesting "ifs" and "whens." The gambling Hitler is a great opportunist—he claims to work by divine intuition—and there are circumstances now which might deter him.

This column has expressed the view—and still believes in it—that the question of whether Hitler will attack Russia in a big way depends on how seriously he regards the threat of an Allied invasion of France. If he thinks the Allies aren't prepared to invade for some months, he might well take a chance and hurl everything he has against the Russians. That probably would represent his final big offensive before digging himself in for defense.

On the other hand, if he believes the Allies are about to invade France, or even the Balkans, he would be bound to pause before committing himself to another Russian adventure which would call for employment of most of his resources.

An Allied assault on Italy might not deter him. As remarked in previous articles, he undoubtedly already has discounted the loss of Italy. An Allied occupation of this little country, which is shut off from Germany by the Alps, wouldn't necessarily raise a threat of such immediate urgency that Hitler couldn't take a chance on attacking Russia.

A drive against Russia is the most logical move for the head Hun—provided he thinks he has time before an invasion overtakes him. Actually the trap is closing so fast and securely about the rat that he will be flinging himself against a fairly solid wall whatever direction he turns. Still, the time when rats fight hardest, and sometimes are most dangerous, is when they're cornered and hurt.

If Hitler decides to have another stab at Russia, he will move soon. Weather and ground already are suitable in the south, and fighting conditions are improving in the north.

## Saved From Justice

The Allies are to be congratulated on the death of Japanese Admiral Isoroku Yamamoto, commander in chief of the entire Jap fleet if the Tokyo report is true. He was one of the most capable and forceful of the militaristic enemies of peace, and his removal from the scene is a victory for the United Nations.

Maybe the death of Yamamoto saved him from facing an Allied court martial after the war, for there are a lot of these barbarians who must answer charges. Certainly he won't dictate peace in Washington, as he boasted.

## List 39 Seniors At Littlestown

Prof. Paul E. King, supervising principal of the Littlestown public schools, announced today these names of the members of the graduating class who are eligible to take the test which will decide whether they can graduate on May 27. There are 39 boys and girls in the class.

The class roster follows: Mildred G. Appier, Beatrice H. Bittle, Lois I. Burns, Dorothy P. Crabbs, Gloria J. Crabbs, Vivian L. Dutcher, Arlene R. Hollinger, Suzanne M. Keefe, Kathryn M. Lippy, Charlotte M. Menges, Dorothy E. O'Neil, Margaret L. Pfaff, Treva K. Reaver, Anna Mary Riden, Alethea J. Rider, Lydia R. Senti, Helen A. Slick, Doris L. Strevig, Dorothy E. Thomas, Bernice E. Tressler, Donald Arbogast, Walter Arbogast, Arthur E. Blair, Leslie E. Beck, Robert M. Bixler, Donald C. Feesser, Mahlon E. Feesser, Melvin J. Good, Burnell F. Harner, Charles B. Harner, Paul E. Hiltbrich, Bernard J. Kuhns, Edward K. Newman, Ernest Novick, Robert E. Sentz, Robert L. Snyder, Harry A. Strine, John L. Wolff and Albert Zercher.

# Social Happenings

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**The Rev. Howard Schley Fox**, pastor of Trinity Evangelical Reformed church, was tendered a surprise reception at the home of Miss Alice M. Snyder, last evening honoring the twentieth anniversary of his ordination to the Christian ministry. The Rev. Mr. Fox was ordained in Christ Evangelical Reformed church, Roaring Spring, May 20, 1923.

**The Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club** will meet with Mrs. R. D. Wickerham, Broadway, next Tuesday afternoon.

**The Woman's club** will hold a combined luncheon and musical at Hotel Gettysburg next Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Reservations must be made with members of the committee in charge, Mrs. Mark K. Eckert, Mrs. Howard S. Fox and Miss Margaret Myers, before Tuesday at 6 p. m. Members may be accompanied by guests.

**Mr. and Mrs. David Irvin** and daughters, Allene and Elizabeth, Carlisle street, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stoner, Hagers-town.

**Miss Lucille Cole, Washington, D. C.**, recently spent several days with Miss Allene Irvin, Carlisle street.

**Pvt. Glenn L. Harner** has reported for duty at the Marine base at New River, North Carolina, after spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Harner, Gettysburg R. 1. He will study radio and field telephone work. Pvt. Harner entered the service March 1 and received his base training at Parris Island, South Carolina.

**Mrs. Mary R. Martin** has returned to her home on East Lincoln avenue after an absence of three months.

**Members of the Officers club** of the Order of Eastern Star were entertained Wednesday evening by Mrs. John Teeter, Mrs. Audrel Kunkel and Mrs. Ray Kitzmiller at the home of Mrs. Teeter on West Middle street.

**Mr. and Mrs. William Ibach**, of Reading, are spending some time at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Kinsey, Seminary avenue.

## BULLETINS

**Washington, May 21 (AP)**—The Navy reported today that operations on Attu Island in the Northern Pacific are continuing with the latest reports indicating that the Japanese are making a last stand in defensive high ground on the island's northwestern extremity.

**Detroit, May 21 (AP)**—Employees of a sixth war plant of Chrysler Corporation joined in a United Automobile Workers (CIO) strike move today as regional War Labor Board officials entered a conference with management and union executives.

**Washington, May 21 (AP)**—The Office of Price Administration has rejected a proposal from the Agricultural Department to cancel temporarily all A, B and C ration coupons along part of the Atlantic seaboard, to meet the gasoline shortage emergency.

**Washington, May 21 (AP)**—President Roosevelt disclosed today that the British-American chiefs of staff would submit some preliminary recommendations tonight to him and Prime Minister Churchill and he said probably final decisions on them would be made next week.

**New York, May 21 (AP)**—United Mine Workers officials announced today that UMW President John L. Lewis would go to Washington during the day and that headquarters of the union in New York would be closed immediately.

**Pittsburgh, Pa., May 21 (AP)**—Three thousand soft coal miners returned to work in Pennsylvania at the request of United Mine Workers officials today but two new walkouts in Ohio left a total of 7,100 on strike and 15 mines closed in three states. It was likely the remaining 3,700 Pennsylvania strikers at four pits would soon return. More than 2,500 were on strike at four Ohio mines and 470 at two in Kentucky.

**Washington, May 21 (AP)**—A \$6,273,629,000 lend-lease supplemental appropriations measure, representing in part the coming sweat-and-self-denial contribution of the home front, was sent to the House floor today with the assurance that it would shorten materially the mutual aid march of the United Nations "to complete victory."

## RECEIVE LICENSE

Edward J. Smith, Jr., Emmitsburg, and Loretta A. Adams, Fairfield, have secured a marriage license in Frederick.

## Weddings

Horwedel—Schuchart

Miss Rita Catherine Schuchart, daughter of Edward Schuchart, Midway, and Pvt. Bernard Plus Horwedel, stationed at Camp Van Dorn, Mississippi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Plus Horwedel, Centennial, Hanover R. 4, were married Wednesday morning at 7 o'clock at a low nuptial mass in St. Vincent's Catholic church, Midway, by the rector, the Rev. Mark P. McElwee, in the presence of relatives and friends of the couple.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Schuchart. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bridegroom's parents to about twenty guests.

The bride, who is employed by the Cannon Shoe company, McSherrystown, will reside at her home for the duration of the war. The bridegroom will return to camp next week.

Crum—Wetzel

Sgt. Paul E. Crum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crum, Bendersville, and Miss Arlene E. Wetzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wetzel, Orrtanna, were married at Frederick Monday afternoon by the Rev. Mr. Weaver.

The bride is a graduate of Fairfield high school and Sgt. Crum is a graduate of Biglerville high school. Sgt. Crum is stationed at Lowry Field, Colorado.

## DEATHS

Mrs. Margaret Forney

Mrs. Margaret Isabelle Forney, 83, widow of George Forney, died at 5 o'clock this morning from a complication of diseases at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Houck, Fairfield R. 2, Liberty township.

She was born in Frederick county, Maryland, a daughter of the late Frederick and Mary C. (Shorb) Ohler.

Surviving are one son, John T. Forney, Hampstead, Maryland; two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Krugs, Taneytown, and Mrs. Sarah Houck; 18 grandchildren, including Pvt. George Houck, Ft. Ord, Calif., and Pvt. Herbert W. Houck, Greenville, Pa.; 17 great-grandchildren; one brother, John W. Ohler, Taneytown, and one sister, Mrs. Mary J. Houck, Taneytown.

Funeral services Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Allison funeral home, Emmitsburg, conducted by the Rev. E. G. Colestock, pastor of Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield. Interment in Keysville, Md.

Friends may call at the funeral home Sunday evening after 7 o'clock.

Emory J. Myers

Emory J. Myers, 86, died at his home in York Springs Thursday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock from a complication of diseases.

He was born in Hanover, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Myers. He was a farmer most of his life and resided in Huntington township for a number of years. Mr. Myers was a member of the Gardeners United Brethren church.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. Frank Erwin, Silver Spring, Md.; Roy E. and Miss Hattie B. Myers, both of Harrisburg; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services from the Pittenturf funeral home, York Springs, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock conducted by the Rev. George E. Snyder. Interment in Sunnyside cemetery, York Springs.

Friends may call at the Pittenturf funeral home Saturday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

George John Smith

Stricken with a heart attack Wednesday evening about 10:30 o'clock, George John Smith, 40, Centennial, Hanover R. 5, died at the home of Mrs. Annie J. Smith, Edge Grove, where he had been visiting, before medical aid could reach him.

Mr. Smith was a son of the late Alphonsus and Clara Lawrence Smith, and was born November 29, 1902. He had been employed as a cutter by the Cannon Shoe company, McSherrystown. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the Home association, McSherrystown; the Holy Name Society and the Blessed Virgin's Sodality of Conewago Chapel.

Surviving him are the following brothers and sisters, Raymond Smith, Hanover; Mrs. Paul Gephart, Centennial, with whom he resided; Curtis Smith, Brunshtown; Mrs. Cornelius Hemler and Mrs. Stanislaus Lawrence, Irishtown; Mrs. Joseph Paglic, Philadelphia; Mrs. Herman Shireman, Hanover, and Leo Smith, Newark, New Jersey.

Funeral Saturday morning, meeting at the Gephart home at 8:30 o'clock with a requiem mass at 9 a. m. in Conewago Chapel, the Rev. Edwin Landys, celebrant. Interment in Conewago Chapel cemetery. Friends may call at the home until the time of the funeral. The members of the Holy Name Society will meet at the home this evening at 8 o'clock for prayers.

Elmer B. Crum

Elmer B. Crum, 79, died Thursday afternoon at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

# DISTRICT S.S. RALLY SUNDAY AT FAIRFIELD

The annual spring rally and convention of the Second Sunday School district will be held Sunday afternoon and evening in the Zion Lutheran church, Fairfield.

The afternoon session, which begins at 2 o'clock will feature Walter E. Myers, general secretary of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath School association. Mr. Myers will lead a conference for adults. His theme will be, "Working for and winning the other half."

A conference for young people will be led by Rev. Earl Rowe, pastor of the York Springs Methodist church. Rev. Rowe is also the county young peoples' superintendent. The subject for discussion will be "Working with high school age young people." Charles Lott, Fairfield, will be chairman of the conference.

Mrs. Ira Henderson and Miss Barbara Henderson will be joint leaders of a conference for primary workers. They will lead a discussion on and demonstrate the use of visual aids in teaching children.

**To Name Officers**  
In addition, the afternoon session will include a devotional period led by Rev. Mr. Rowe.

The election and installation of district officers will be conducted. Mr. Myers will preside at the installation. A vocal solo, "My Cathedral," will be sung by Mrs. Charles Lott, accompanied by Miss Mabert Benner.

The evening program will begin at 7:30 o'clock. Devotions will be led by J. Warren Martin, superintendent of the Fairfield Mennonite Sunday school. A vocal solo by the Rev. Emmert Colestock will be featured. The message of the evening will be brought by Mr. Myers. The subject will be "Speak To My People That They Go Forward." Henry Burkhardt, district president, will preside at all sessions.

# MRS. RANDLE IS GUILTY; FACES 10-YEAR TERM

Annapolis, Md., May 21 (AP)—Mrs. Helen Aileen Randle, 31-year-old wife of a wealthy Washington and Annapolis sportsman, was under conviction of manslaughter today for the fatal shooting of Allen Willey, 17, in a case which her attorney said was "redolent with passion."

Mrs. Randle was found guilty last night by an all-male jury which deliberated for two hours and a quarter after hearing the attractive third wife of Ulmo S. Randle, 34, tearfully deny she had intentionally fired the shot which resulted in the death of the high school student.

Chief Judge Ridgely P. Melvin of Anne Arundel county Circuit court said he would pronounce sentence at 9:30 a. m. next Tuesday. Under Maryland criminal code the penalty for manslaughter is a prison term of from two to 10 years, or a fine not to exceed \$500, or both.

**Didn't Ask Death Penalty**  
State's Attorney Marvin I. Anderson had asked for a murder verdict without specifically mentioning the death penalty. The jury, however, convicted on the lesser charge of manslaughter.

During closing arguments, the defendant broke down while William Curran, of the defense staff, referred to epithets which the defense charged the Willey youth had applied to her before the shooting last Jan. 30 in the Randle home at fashionable Bay Ridge.

Previously, Mrs. Leonard R. Stinchcomb, house guest of the Randles who was an eyewitness to the shooting, testified for the state that Mrs. Randle had made slighting remarks about her husband's legitimacy and that Randle had retorted that she was "a Naval academy prostitute" before they were married.

## Funeral Services For Charles Irwin

Funeral services for Charles G. Irwin, 81, who died Monday afternoon from paralysis, were held from the Bender funeral home this afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by the Rev. Harry S. Ecker. Interment in Evergreen cemetery.

The pallbearers were Charles Haines, Frank Eberhart, Roy Wolf, Lester Whorley, Paul Corneli and Frank Beard.

George Schlosser, of Rutherford Heights, Harrisburg, who had lived at Rutherford Heights for the past year, having spent most of his life at Gardner R. D.

He is survived by two sons, Harry C. Newville, and Chester; two daughters, Mrs. Maud Stahl, Rutherford Heights and Mrs. George Schlosser; 12 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; two brothers, Harry, Ashland, and Reuben, Mechanicsburg, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Finerock, Bendersville.

Funeral services Sunday at 2 p. m. at Mt. Tabor United Brethren church, of which he was a member. Friends may call at the Routsong and Dugan funeral home, Bendersville, Saturday from 7 to 9 p. m.

# Upper Communities

**Capt. Warren Dunn, Dundalk, Maryland**, accompanied by Lt. and Mrs. Fowler, Dundalk, visited at Captain Dunn's home in Biglerville, Wednesday.

**Miss Sara March, Harrisburg**, is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David March, Gettysburg R. D.

**Miss Marie Walker, of Biglerville**, spent the week-end with Miss Mary Enck at the Ambler School of Horticulture, near Philadelphia.

**Tom Enck, who has completed** the second year's work as a student at the Citadel, military college at Charleston, South Carolina, will arrive the early part of the week to spend a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren K. Enck, of Biglerville. He will be accompanied home by his sister, Miss Martha Enck, who is director of music of the Presbyterian church at Gastonia, North Carolina, who also will be with her parents for a fortnight.

**Pvt. Garland Heare** has returned to the Lockbourne Army Air Base, Columbus, Ohio, after spending a three-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heare, the Narrows.

**The May meeting of the Trilogy club** was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. T. Dill in Biglerville with the president, Mrs. William M. Lott, presiding. The report of the nominating committee, members of which included Mrs. W. Clayton Jester, Mrs. E. A. Meyer and Mrs. O. H. Benson, was given and the following officers elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. William C. Tyson; vice president, Mrs. Donald Tyson; secretary, Mrs. William B. Wilson, and treasurer, Mrs. Daniel C. Jacobs.

The club decided to give \$5 to the county Red Cross fund and \$8 to the county library fund. The program for the afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Richard C. Walton who reviewed Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick's book "On Being a Real Person."

**Corporal Paul Crum, of Lowery Field, Colorado**, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crum, of Bendersville.

**Dr. Harold Heiges, Washington, D. C.**, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dale Heiges, of Biglerville, Wednesday.

**Miss Dorothy Sternat, who is a student at Susquehanna university, Selmsgrove**, arrived Thursday to spend the summer vacation with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Henry W. Sternat, of Biglerville. Miss Sternat has completed the first year's work at the college.

**W. T. Grams, of Ithaca, New York**, was an over-night guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clayton Jester, Biglerville R. D.

## Hanover Revives Old Curfew Rule

Enactment of a curfew law for minors in Hanover and an accompanying increase in the strength of the borough police force were voted at the May meeting of the Hanover borough council on Wednesday evening.

The curfew ordinance was prepared following a report by the borough health officer, Dr. Irl Z. Wentz, regarding juvenile delinquency in Hanover.

This ordinance is a reenactment of an ordinance passed in 1917 which established a curfew in the order to cope with modern conditions. Under the provisions of the new measure it will be unlawful for boys under 16 and girls under 18 years of age to be on or remain on the streets or public thoroughfares and parks after 10 p. m. unless accompanied by parent or guardian. A curfew bell will be sounded at 9:45 p. m., each evening.

## Ask Early Return Of C.C. Questionnaires

Monday evening at 6 o'clock has been set as the deadline for the return of questionnaires recently distributed to local businessmen by the retail division of the Chamber of Commerce to learn the stores' wishes on Thursday afternoon closing for the summer months and a uniform plan for store hours on Memorial Day, May 31, and July 5, also a holiday.

The response so far to the questionnaires has been only fair and those who wish to have a vote in the matter were urged to get their completed questionnaires to the Chamber office before the deadline. "The retail committee is doing all it can to cooperate with the businessmen of the town and now it asks them for evidence of their cooperation by returning the question forms promptly," a spokesman said.

Radio sets in tanks cost about \$500 each.

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## STORM

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on a pole south of Fairfield that had been struck by lightning continued in the field as numerous reports came of service failures caused by rain. No estimate could be given of the number of farms where light service failed because of the tearing away of lines or short circuits caused by soaked lines.

Vernon Corle, manager of the Water company and the entire crew of the company worked through most of the night at the pumping station along Marsh creek.

Corle reported the flood waters at their highest stage since 1934 at the pumping station. The road leading to the bridge near the pumping station was covered by about three feet of water, and part of the road leading from that road back to the pumping station proper was under water.

There was about a foot of water on the floor of the pipe gallery in the station. The company workers cut off all inflow of water into the plant and to the town from midnight until 2:30 o'clock this morning because of the flood of water pouring into the plant building. No possible effort could be made to purify the water and so all connections with the town were cut off, Corle said.

The United Telephone company reported that about 50 subscribers were cut off from service along the Chambersburg pike between here and Seven Stars when the flood waters reached and short-circuited a cable.

## Bridge Is Submerged

Among the places without telephone service was the sub-station of the Pennsylvania State police. Cars on all highways leading into Gettysburg were stalled by the flood. The Rev. Norbert Sukowski, assistant pastor of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church, and the Rev. Fr. Vincent Neis, of Hanover, returning from a diocesan meeting of priests at Harrisburg were stalled by flood waters across the road near the county home.

The oil pit at Floyd Miller's service station was filled by water which raised to 14 inches above the pit before receding. Loss there was also unestimated with some water getting into oil tanks.

White Run overflowed the Littlestown road while at Barlow Rock Creek reached such a height it was running across the top of the bridge, according to reports. Great amounts of debris remained on top of the bridge after the flood receded, according to persons coming through that section this morning.

## Fields Gullied

Piney creek at the D. F. Shriver Canning company, Littlestown, flooded the road there and stopped traffic for a time.

Roy D. Renner, county clerk of courts, said that on his trip to Gettysburg this morning from Littlestown he saw a number of newly planted corn fields where huge gullies, two and three feet in depth had been torn through the fields by the rain.

Damage to fields throughout the county was reported by a number of other persons including field men of the REA who said that they had seen nearly a hundred fields that were either covered by water or which had been washed badly.

Residents along Water street and other streets bordering the Tiber suffered possibly the worst damage in Gettysburg. Residents of East Water street said today the flood was the worst they had ever seen. Some said the Tiber seemed to leave its banks near the college and run into Water street.

## Tiber on Rampage

Nearly every home along Water street had some water in the cellar and some had from two to four feet. Most residents of the street this morning were engaged in pumping water out of their cellars and clearing away debris deposited on their lawns and pavements by the floods.

The Tiber tore out a large section of the fill at land owned by Daniel Shearer to the south of West Middle street, and deposited the fill on lawns and pavements between there and Rock creek. Cinders from the railroad crossings were washed down with other debris and deposited on lawns and on the Gettysburg college campus. The Reading railroad bridge across the Tiber south of West Middle street was covered two feet deep this morning with stumps, cans, mud and other debris. A fence to the rear of the Atlantic gasoline station on West Middle street was torn down.

Ortanna was isolated by the waters of the stream near the town, residents reported. The stream blocked all traffic to the west from Ortanna, overran fields nearby and stood 14 inches deep in orchards around that section, it was reported. The Lincoln highway west of town was flooded by a small stream near the Hershey farm, east of McKnightstown and at Willoughby Run, near the state police station.

## HOSPITAL REPORT

Donald Huff, Cashtown, has been admitted to the Warner hospital. Those discharged were Frederic Griest, Flora Dale; Mrs. Clifford Barnes, East Middle street; Mrs. Wales Rightmire and infant son, Gerald Edward, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Clara Sowers, Knoxlyn, and Eugene Lerew, York Springs.

# ADVANCEMENT

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ing schools are invited to the affair, Mr. Gruver said.

## Honor Student

Taking part in the advancement award and play day festivities for the last time will be the members of the senior class.

Included among the seniors are Elwood Alleman, John Altland, Warren Frey, George Geesey, Charles Hickenberry, Adams Jacobs, George Jacobs, Carl Lee, Otto Livingston, George Oberlander, Ernie Reichart, Russel Roser, Jack Shetter, Carroll Slothour, Effie Lou Bucher, Loretta Chronister, Elizabeth Dickey, Louise Elieser, Lena Emig, Dolores Geba, May Jane Hamme, Janet Hoffman, Dorothy Leathery, Dorothy Myers, Lois Rider, Marian Stambaugh, Phyllis Stover, Ruth Zeigler and Julia Dickey.

Miss Julia Dickey will be honored by being announced as the high

honor student in the class. Class officers include Lois Rider, president; Loretta Chronister, vice president; Julia Dickey, secretary; Ruth Zeigler, treasurer, and Dorothy Leathery, historian.

## Postpone Musicals At Two Churches

The Church of the Brethren Young People's department has deferred its musical program planned for May 23 in Gettysburg and also the program at the Friends Grove church May 30, until later in June on account of the high school programs and an injury sustained recently by Joe Hanawalt.

Mr. Hanawalt is the president of the Young People's group, Walter Keeney, Jr., treasurer, and Minnie Weaver, of Biglerville, secretary.

## DR. RHOADS OVERSEAS

Capt. John P. Rhoads, former, Gettysburg physician, has arrived safely in Africa, according to word received here.

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# Amazing Phillies Blank Chicago Twice And Threaten Third Place Cardinals

## LOU NOVIKOFF SETTLES WITH OWNER WRIGLEY

By HUDSON BAILEY  
AP Sports Writer

The Philadelphia Phillies not only are standing on their own feet these days, they are tramping on the toes of a lot of other clubs in the National league.

Here is what they did yesterday:

1. Shut out the Chicago Cubs in both ends of a doubleheader 3-0 and 2-0, allowing the Bruins just four hits in each game.

2. Made the Cubs' plight so disturbing that Philip K. Wrigley, their multi-millionaire owner, personally announced settlement of the club's contract squabble with Lou Novikoff.

3. Rejected the Brooklyn Dodgers' offer of two players for Second Baseman Danny Murtaugh, thus causing the Dodgers to sell them Pitcher Newt Kimball and send Alex Kampouris to Washington for cash in order to get under the 25-player limit.

4. Threatened the third-place standing of the World Champion St. Louis Cardinals.

**Rookies Star**

The twin triumphs over the Cubs were achieved on superlative pitching by Charley Fuchs and Lefty Al Gerheuser, a pair of rookies. The Phillies made nine hits off Bill Lee in the first game, but in the nightcap were held to four by Kewpie Barrett, the unlucky gent who recently lost a one-hit game to Pittsburgh. Two singles and some bad infelding by the Cubs proved the Phils both their runs in the third inning of this game.

This extended the Cubs' losing streak to nine games, miring them deep in the cellar and forcing them to compromise on the salary demands of Novikoff, a 390 hitter last year who was the last major league holdout. The detail of whether he should be paid during the period of his suspension was to be worked out today.

The Phillies' winning string was stretched to five games and they moved within half a game of the Cardinals, who were beaten 5-2 at Brooklyn.

This made the four-game Brooklyn-St. Louis series a standoff between the Cardinals and Frank (Rube) Melton, who accounted for both the Dodgers' victories. The former Philly Ace stopped the Redbirds 1-0 Monday and then came back on two days' rest yesterday to pitch a seven-hitter.

**Turn Down Deal**  
The Dodgers were glad to get out with a split of the series, but dissatisfied with their infield and were understood to have offered both Kampouris and Kimball for Murtaugh. The Phillies, who used to sell their stars to all bidders, held tight to Murtaugh, bought Kimball themselves, and let the Dodgers sell Kampouris to Washington.

In the American league (yes, there still is an American league) Boston and Cleveland managed to get in a doubleheader for the only action the circuit has had since Sunday. Boston bagged both games 2-1 in ten innings and 7-4 to bump the Indians into third place behind the Yankees and Senators, who were idle.

## Major League Leaders

(By The Associated Press)

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Frey, Cincinnati, .351.  
Runs—Camilli, Brooklyn, 20.  
Runs batted in—Herman, Brooklyn, 20.

Hits—Frey and P. McCormick, Cincinnati; Stanky, Chicago, and Vaughan, Brooklyn, 34.

Doubles—Herman, Brooklyn, 10.  
Triples—Musial, St. Louis and Russell, Pittsburgh, 4.

Home runs—Ott and Maynard, New York, and Litwiler, Philadelphia, 4.

Stolen bases—Murtaugh, Philadelphia, and Gustin, Pittsburgh, 4.

Pitching—Allen, Brooklyn, 3-0.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Batting—Stephens, St. Louis, .368.  
Runs—White, Philadelphia, 17.  
Runs batted in—Spence, Washington, 18.

Hits—White, Philadelphia, 31.  
Doubles—Clary, Washington, and Keltner, Cleveland, 8.

Triples—Keller, New York, 3.  
Home runs—Keller, New York, 4.  
Stolen bases—Vernon and Case, Washington, 4.

Pitching—Chandler, New York, and Carrasquel, Washington, 4-0.

## Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Philadelphia—Nap Mitchell, 200½.  
Philadelphia, outpointed big Ben Moroz, 293, Brooklyn (8).

Fall River, Mass.—Gene Johnson, 144, New York, outpointed Frankie Young, 146, New Haven, Conn. (10).

Portland, Maine—Maurice La Chance, 128, Lisbon, outpointed Jose Apone Torres, 127½, New York (10).

The Colossus of Rhodes, erected in 280 B. C., and destroyed in 224 B. C., cost about \$250,000.

## Rain Forces Track Meet Cancellation

A heavy downpour Thursday afternoon forced the cancellation of the Gettysburg-Hanover high track meet scheduled to be held on the local field.

Already soaked by recent rains, the field was covered at some places by several inches of water which resulted in high school authorities calling off the match with the Nighthawks just before the Hanover squad was scheduled to leave for Gettysburg.

Hanover officials turned down the suggestion the meet be held today, pointing out they are entering a number of lads in the District 3 PIAA meet at Lancaster on Saturday. It was decided to cancel the match after Hanover revealed that, due to examinations, a date next week would be unsuitable.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, May 21 (AP)—George Washington U. has notified its opponents that it may cancel its 1943 football schedule, which would leave Washington, sport's biggest boomtown, depending on Maryland for its college football next fall.

That shouldn't be very bad news for George Preston Marshall and his Redskins, local baseball rumors are that the Yanks are looking covetously at Detroit's Ned Harris.

Dave Woods, who publicized Belmont Park for Alf Vanderbilt last year, doesn't get any more tumble around the track now that the abandoned juvenile course that could be seen from anywhere in the stands.

### TOPSY TURVY

Seeing the Braves in second place is a shock like trumping your partner's ace.

### FUTURE BOOK

Charley Parker, the 16-year-old San Antonio, Texas, high school sprinter who ran the 100 in 9.5 and the 220 in 29.5 at the state High School meet, may come east to face big time competition this summer.

Another kid who might be worth "importing" is Don Clayton of Fayetteville, N. C., high, who won nine firsts and a second place in a dual meet with Durham high and who took only four state titles because they wouldn't let him enter any more events. He's also a good football and basketball player but college scouts aren't interested because he's due to join the Army Air Force Aug. 30.

Boyd Bartley, Illinois U. Shortstop who'll get a tryout from the Cubs, is a better prospect than Lou Boudreau was in his college days, says Coach Wallie Roettger. Jimmy Curran, veteran Mercersburg, Pa. academy coach, thinks his 200-pound "rookie," Dick McFadden, could become another Barney Berlinger with a year's coaching. But he's Army bound, too.

### TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Dick Cullum, Minneapolis Times:

"Big Ten faculty representatives raked up all the rules they could find, tied them into a neat bundle and heaved them over at their spring meeting. Freshmen may play. Post graduates may play. Transient soldiers may play. Just about the only way to become ineligible is to die or move to Attu."

### SERVICE DEPT.

Brig. Gen. Frank A. Armstrong, who led the first attack by American heavy bombers over Europe last summer and later led his squadron in the first American bomber attack upon Germany, was a star tackle at Wake Forest college in the early 1920's and played pro baseball as a Detroit Tigers farmhand.

The University of Maryland's 1937 boxing team, undefeated in winning the southern conference title, consisted of Ed Shegogue, Benny Alperstein, Bob Bradley, Benny Walton and Mike Lombardo. They're all in uniform as officers now. And so are head coach Col. Heinie Miller and assistant coach Lyman McAvoy.

From North Africa, Lieut. Tom Farrell, former Cornell football and track man sends word: "A guy who speaks as little French as I do is lost here, but I am fast becoming master of the sign language."

### UP AND COMING

Garland Braxton, who pitched for the Braves back in 1921, still is southpawing 'em up for the Norfolk Piedmont league club.

The other day he tossed a seven-hitter at the Lynchburg Cardinals and scribe Tom Ferguson reports that after the game a fan was heard to remark: "That fella Braxton is sure a promising player. Bet he could play major league ball right now."

### DIES FROM RABIES

McKeesport, Pa., May 21 (AP)—Rabies resulting from the bite of a dog caused the death of 8-year-old Vivien Seklieh yesterday in McKeesport hospital. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seklieh, Pinleyville R. D. 3.

## LOOP LEADERS MEET TONIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Up-and-coming Hagerstown was within half a game of leading the Interstate baseball league today while Allentown, still unable to repeat its one league triumph, was unchallenged for the cellar position.

Paul Rankin held the league-leading Wilmington club to six hits last night as the Maryland club won, 3 to 1. The Owls clouted 13 hits in ending the Blue Rocks' six-game winning streak.

Lancaster's 3-to-2 victory over Allentown gave the home club its second win of the season and broke its last-place tie with the losers. The game went only eight innings because of weather. Trenton at York was postponed for the same reason.

**Today's Games**  
Hagerstown at Wilmington  
Trenton at York  
Allentown at Lancaster

## BASEBALL

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Thursday's Results

Philadelphia at Chicago, postponed.

Washington at St. Louis, postponed.

New York at Detroit, postponed.

Boston, 2; Cleveland, 1, 1st game, 10 innings.

Boston, 7; Cleveland, 4, 2d game.

**Standing of the Teams**

Team	W	L	Pct.
New York	14	8	.636
Washington	14	11	.560
Cleveland	13	11	.542
St. Louis	9	9	.500
Detroit	10	11	.476
Philadelphia	11	14	.440
Chicago	8	11	.421
Boston	10	14	.417

**Today's Schedule**

Philadelphia at St. Louis (night).

New York at Cleveland (night).

Washington at Chicago (night).

Boston at Detroit.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Thursday's Results

Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 0, 1st game.

Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 0, 2d game.

Brooklyn, 5; St. Louis, 2.

Pittsburgh at Boston, postponed.

Cincinnati at New York, postponed.

**Standing of the Teams**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	18	9	.667
Boston	14	8	.636
St. Louis	13	10	.565
Philadelphia	13	11	.542
Cincinnati	12	13	.480
New York	11	14	.440
Pittsburgh	9	13	.409
Chicago	7	19	.269

**Today's Schedule**

Pittsburgh at Philadelphia (night).

St. Louis at New York.

Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

Chicago at Boston.

### MINOR LEAGUE RESULTS

(By The Associated Press)

**International League**

Syracuse, 3; Jersey City, 2.

Baltimore, 8; Newark, 0.

Buffalo, 4; Montreal, 3 (10 innings).

Only games scheduled.

**American Association**

Kansas City, 8-3; Louisville, 1-1.

St. Paul, 1-3; Columbus, 0-7 (first game, 10 innings).

Minneapolis, 3-1; Toledo, 0-2.

Milwaukee at Indianapolis, postponed.

**Eastern League**

Scranton, 4-8; Hartford, 3-0.

Wilkes-Barre, 4-6; Springfield, 2-4.

Elmira, 6; Albany, 0.

Binghamton, 6; Utica, 2.

### Sgt. Barney Ross To Attend Fight

Pittsburgh, May 21 (AP)—There'll be an "added attraction" at the Fritz Zivic-Jake Lamotta boxing match Monday night at Forbes Field.

Sgt. Barney Ross of the Marines will be there.

Ross, who was welterweight and lightweight king before he became a Guadalcanal hero, will be introduced from the ring.

Fritz hasn't lost a home town match in nearly 5 years but he likely will be extended to win Monday night. Jake's supporters say Lamotta looks like a two-to-one favorite.

Preliminaries will include Corp. Tommy Yarosz against Johnny Lawer of Cleveland, eight rounds.

Tony Ross, Jr., against Bee Bee Wright of Clairton, six rounds.

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## Frisch Brings Flowers To Stengel



Frankie Frisch (left), Pittsburgh Pirate manager, presents a bouquet of flowers to Casey Stengel, Boston Braves manager who is confined to a Boston hospital with a broken leg. Frisch visited Stengel after his Pirates had dropped a 4 to 6 decision to the Braves.

## Scranton Miners Hold Eastern Lead

(By The Associated Press)

The Scranton Miners today had met and turned back the challenge of the Hartford Laurels for the Eastern league leadership.

The Connecticut club dropped from second to fourth place in the standings by absorbing two defeats from the Miners at Scranton last night.

Vic Johnson, aided by relief hurler Chet Covington, tamed the Laurels, 4-3, in the opener. Schoolmaster Ollie Byers blanked them, 8-0, in the second tilt, allowing only two hits—a couple of well-spaced singles.

The twin triumph increased Scranton's victory total to 11 as against three defeats.

## Talk Terms With Lou Novikoff

Los Angeles, May 21 (AP)—It may have been the doubleheader they blew to the Phillies yesterday, or perhaps the Chicago Cubs looked at the standing and discovered they had won only seven of 26 games—but something has changed their position on the Lou Novikoff problem.

Lou, the mad Russian who was one of the Cubs' two 300 hitters last season, is about to be welcomed back into the Wrigley menagerie.

He has been ignored for two months by General Manager Jimmy Gallagher because he spurned an offer of \$6,500 and asked for \$10,000.

Yesterday Clarence (Pants) Rowland, president of the Los Angeles club, owned by Wrigley, talked terms, but late last night Pants and Lou were still haggling on whether the Cubs would make the salary agreed upon retroactive to the start of the season. Lou said he'd take off tonight by train for Chicago.

## Beau Jack Choice To Beat "Bobcat"

New York, May 21 (AP)—Bouncing Beau Jack and Bobcat Bob Montgomery collide tonight for the world lightweight championship, and trying to pick the winner is like Aunt Emma making up her mind between the blue hat with the bouquet of bananas or the red one with the bird nest.

The Beau is a 5 to 11 choice among the better 49th street betting shoppes in this 15-round fuss in Madison Square Garden, and most of the wise-guys have been telling you for days that the one-time Georgia shoe-shine boy will put quite a high polish all over the Philadelphia challenger once he's turned loose at 10 p. m. (EWT).

## Election Notice!

A meeting of the Lot Holders will be held Monday, June 14th, 1943, at 7:30 P. M. in the Arbitration Room of the Court House, Gettysburg, Pa., for the purpose of electing a President and Seven Managers of the Evergreen Cemetery.

By Order of the Board

J. Elmer Musselman

Secretary

## RAF MOSQUITO BOMBERS BLAST NAZI CAPITAL

London, May 21 (AP)—Swift Mosquito bombers of the RAF bombed Berlin last night for the second successive night and the fifth time since May 13, it was announced today.

Simultaneously other British bombers and fighters struck at enemy industries and communications at widespread places in both France and Germany, including Bremen and Essen.

Mines also were laid in enemy waters, an air ministry communique said.

## One Plane Lost

Despite the scope of the operations, all the RAF planes except one returned safely to their bases.

The Berlin radio acknowledged that British planes had been over Germany again but characteristically made light of the raids, describing them as "ineffective nuisance attacks." The daily communique of the German high command, broadcast from Berlin, made no mention of the latest attack on the Nazi capital.

Details of the RAF attacks on enemy transport were given by the air ministry news service.

Near Bremen, the announcement said, one speedy Mosquito set fire to a factory with cannon shells, shot up a freight yard and strafed a train, bringing it to a halt.

Seven other trains, four locomotives and a number of anti-aircraft searchlight batteries were targets for other Mosquitoes in the Bremen area.

## London Alert

In France a Beaufighter shot down a Heinkel 111 over a German airfield, while others damaged locomotives.

## Letters To The Editor

Dear Sir:

It has been a long time since I have written to you, but I have been very busy.

I just finished my school as Dental technician and have been transferred to a dental office at the Army Air Base, Abilene, Texas, where I

motives, barges, freight cars, canal jetties and motor transport.

Enemy raiders rumbled over a coastal district of southeast England just before midnight, but an official announcement said no bombs were dropped.

London had an alert for the fifth consecutive night, but there was no gunfire and no planes were reported over the city.

Meanwhile, RAF Mosquito pilots at one Mosquito intruder base expressed the opinion that the Germans are keeping the mass of their bombers at home partly because of the nervous strain imposed upon the Nazi air force by the constant Mosquito intruder raids.

Since these began, the Nazis have been sending over only small bombing Focke-Wulfs instead of bombers. The Focke-Wulfs can outrun the Mosquitoes but the damage they do is comparatively slight.

One RAF flier said "The Hun simply won't take his bombers out when he knows we're around."

Yours,  
Corp. John Lawer,  
474th Base Hq.  
Med. Det.  
Army Air Base  
Abilene, Texas.

Dear Sir:

It is more than grand to receive The Gettysburg Times out here on one of the Hawaiian Islands. It has always covered the news of the town and county so completely and presented it so interestingly. I always remember the fine cooperation I received from the staff while I was in Gettysburg.

The position of chaplain of a unit in our army is the greatest challenge I have had and I do believe it is one of the most important in the church today.

(Chaplain) 1st Lt.  
SPENCER W. AUNGST

The Circus Maximus at Rome could hold 385,000 spectators.

## KEEP WELL!

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## An Evening Thought

Our greatest glory consists not in never failing, but in rising every time we fall.—Goldsmith

## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

## ABOUT WIVES

How very brave must women be  
For some have married fools like me!

And wives must all be very brave  
To stay by men who cannot save;  
Who cannot hang their coats on hooks,  
Who spend their substance buying books;

Who coming from the muddy street  
Forget to stop and wipe their feet  
Yet women have, and will again,  
Become the wives of paper men.

And brave are they who spend their lives  
As celebrated doctors' wives;  
Condemned to sit at home alone  
And answer calls upon the phone;

To cook their husbands' favorite meat  
They may not get back home to eat;  
To visit friends at cards to play  
And have their husbands called away.

Yet grim as seems the doctor's life  
I don't know one without a wife.

But braver still are those who share  
The burdens ministers must bear.  
The wives of parsons one and all  
Must gracious be when members call;

Must go to meetings near and far;  
Make garments for the church bazaar  
And think as true companions should  
Their husbands' every sermon good.

Yet notwithstanding such a life  
There always is "the parson's wife!"

## Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

## CHEERFULNESS

Much is being written and talked these days about vitamins—how essential they are to our bodily health. Little is said about the power of Cheerfulness in its effect upon the human body, and yet it cannot be emphasized too much.

For example: The liver furnishes the important bile, which, under happy conditions, is stored in the gall-bladder (if you have one!) until needed to aid in digestion. But just let morbidness or anger come about and this gall-bladder is as upset as a calm person suddenly come upon a hornet's nest. That gall-bladder almost loses its identity and the liver itself refuses to cooperate in its natural manner until calm is thoroughly restored.

For this reason it is highly important that Cheerfulness should play the most important role at meal-time. Happiness digests food!

Cheerfulness has quite as fine an effect upon all the other great functions of the human body as well. Happy people are almost always healthy people. I am not a Christian Scientist but I certainly admire and commend much in what they believe, for they are among the most cheerful of folks, and I am for no religion that does not make one happier and healthier.

Laughter is the finest seasoning that a meal can possibly have. And no stimulant on earth can equally compete with it. My memory takes me back to a wonderful Doctor who used to come to our house when I was a young boy. I can still hear the echo of his resounding laugh. My mother used to say that his laugh brought her to health again far more than any of his medicine, and I know it did.

Everything about this bodily machine of ours functions in the most natural fashion, and is given its best boost, when we are cheerful and happy. Let the merest word of anger, or bitterness escape from your lips in the presence of another, and you might just as well point a dagger instead, for each reacts the same.

Nothing fortifies the mind under stress quite so well as habitual cheerfulness. It's like a healthy balance in the bank!

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on "Thinking."

## Out Of The Past

From the Files of the  
Star and Sentinel and  
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## FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

**Military Honors Are Paid Robert Mishler.**—Military funeral services were conducted in Evergreen cemetery this morning for Robert Mishler, son of Mrs. P. M. Mishler, Carlisle street, who died in Shanghai, March 12.

The Rev. Charles W. Baker, of Springfield, officiated. Members of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at college attended the services in a body.

A firing squad and bugler, in charge of William G. Weaver, were furnished by the Albert J. Lentz American Legion post.

After Mr. Mishler's death, his body was cremated and the ashes sent to Gettysburg.

**Birth Announcement.**—A son, Charles Huber, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Huber Blocher, Portland, Maine, Friday evening.

**Miss King Is Bride.**—Miss Gladys King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles King, Two Taverns, became the bride of John Marshall Cleveland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cleveland, of Gettysburg R. D., at a ceremony performed at the parsonage of the St. John's Lutheran church, Littlestown, by the Rev. J. I. Hummer, at 1 o'clock on Saturday. The couple will make their home with Mr. Cleveland's parents.

**Marshy Little Sails With Honor.**—Marshy C. Little, of Gettysburg, was one of 200 Pennsylvania National Guardsmen, who sailed from New York on Saturday for France, where they will act as a guard of honor at the dedication of three memorials to Pennsylvania troops in the world war.

**Gas Company Purchased by Outside Firm.**—Control of the Gettysburg Gas company has passed into the hands of Boenning and company, Philadelphia investment bankers.

**Name Youth to Annapolis.**—Joseph Shantz, a senior at Gettysburg high school, has been named to a vacancy at the United States naval academy, Annapolis, by Congressman Franklin Menges, of the York-Adams district.

**Countian Weds.**—Willard Chronister, Gettysburg R. D., and Miss Miriam Hughes, near Dover, were married at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, by the Rev. Dr. G. W. Enders, Jr., of York.

**Birth Announcement.**—Mr. and Mrs. William Furney, Gettysburg, announce the birth of a daughter, Cathleen Elizabeth.

**Stable at Rear of Bank Burns.**—Damage variously estimated from \$500 to \$1,000, was caused by a fire that swept through the interior of the combined frame and brick stable at the rear of the lot of the Gettysburg National bank at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The fire originated in boxes of excelsior between the new annex to the bank building and the stable, and started from a spark from the chimney of the bank, it is said.

**Name Officers of Boys' Band.**—Under the supervision of H. C. Stenger, the Boys' band has been given a military form of organization and officers have been promoted from among the ranks of the young musicians.

To lead the boys George Bushman has been named as first lieutenant; Allen Plank, second lieutenant; George Pitzer, top sergeant; Bud Swisher, sergeant; Edward Hughes, chief musician; Kenneth Hull, principal musician; Carroll Gelwicks, chief trumpeter; Nevin Elker, chief drummer, and corporals, Nelson Mason, Paul Ecker, James Dixon, Charles Rupp, Walter Crouse, John Sharp, Fred Tipton and John Heck.

**Miss Epley a Bride.**—The wedding of Miss Martha Elizabeth Epley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Epley, Gettysburg R. D., 2 Round Top, to Luther Samuel Straley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Straley, of Maytown, was solemnized at the parsonage of St. James Lutheran church, Thursday morning, the Rev. Earl J. Bowman officiating.

**Moose Initiate 80.** A class of 80 candidates, the largest since the local lodge was organized, was initiated in the Loyd Order of Moose at a special ceremony here Saturday evening. The initiation was staged in the annex of the Hotel Gettysburg.

Officers of the local lodge are: Edward Rinehart, past dictator; Joseph U. Applier, dictator; Allen Harman, vice dictator; Francis Yingling, prelate; A. E. Roth, treasurer, and H. T. Biddle, secretary.

**Eagle Silk Mill Works Full Time.** The Eagle Silk mill resumed operations this week with a 25 per cent force manning the machines. Arthur Jones, manager, has announced.

**The Almanac**

MAY  
22—Sun rises 5:38; sets 8:15.  
Moon rises 11:18 p. m.; sets 5:16 a. m.  
23—Sun rises 5:27; sets 8:16.  
Moon rises 12:13 a. m.  
24—Last Quarter

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## See Move For Allied Leaders' Confab In Davies Visit

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## MAY HAVE TAKEN INVITATION TO PREMIER STALIN

**Moscow, May 21 (AP).**—Special Envoy Joseph E. Davies conferred with Premier Stalin at the Kremlin last night and delivered President Roosevelt's secret message—a letter that some quarters thought might contain an invitation to a personal meeting with other Allied leaders.

Davies was presented to the Russian political and military chief by Admiral William H. Standley, the U. S. ambassador, and was accompanied to the meeting by Vyacheslav Molotov, Soviet commissar for foreign affairs, with whom he previously had conferred at length.

Tass, official Soviet news agency, told of the meeting in a brief statement early today, but gave no details of what had occurred.

**No Stalin Statement**  
It was reported, however, that Davies and Stalin had a long and extremely friendly talk and that the Soviet Premier shook hands with the President's representative enthusiastically and energetically.

With the briefcase containing President Roosevelt's message safely tucked under his arm, Davies went to the Kremlin directly from a reception at the United States embassy given him by Standley.

There was no immediate indication to Stalin's reaction to the President's message.

(Some observers in London and Washington, however, were inclined to couple the mysterious missive with Prime Minister Churchill's statement in Washington Wednesday that he and President Roosevelt "earnestly hope that at no distant date we may be able to achieve what we have long sought—namely, a meeting with Marshal Stalin and if possible with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek.")

**Praises Russians**  
(President Roosevelt, on announcing Davies' mission in Washington May 7, said only he and his typist knew the nature of the letter, but that Davies presumably would become acquainted with its contents after delivery and then discuss it with Stalin.)

The Tass statement said that Davies, who reached Kuibyshev by plane Tuesday, went immediately to Stalingrad and there addressed Red Army troops and placed flowers on the common grave of that city's fallen heroes "on behalf of President Roosevelt and the people of the U. S. A."

"The people who defended this city were able to check the Germans," Davies said in his Stalingrad address. "The peoples of the Soviet Union, the United States of America and Great Britain, under the guidance of their leaders will be able to defeat Hitler. Glory to the Soviet soldiers!"

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## REASON TO BLUSH

When they drive by in their newest radio car, they get whistles and "yoo-hoos" from the sidewalk. The car is painted pink.

## SLOW BUT SURE

Osgood, Mo. (AP)—The mail must go through, mud or no mud. So Charles Jewett, 55-year old route carrier, built a cab for his farm tractor and uses it for his daily 31-mile trip.

## HEROES

Miami, Okla. (AP)—An automobile caught fire after overturning, and a quantity of small-caliber ammunition inside began exploding.

Highway patrolman W. S. Abbott said one bystander was wounded in the leg, but officers dashed in regardless of flames and bullets.

They managed to save three of the tires.

## IT WAS ARTIFICIAL

Harrisburg (AP)—John Thompson reported that he lost his arm. He took it off because it hurt, he said, and it was removed to the city incinerator with some old newspapers.

The arm, he explained, was artificial.

## GREEN MAY BE RETIRED SOON AS AFL HEAD

By JOSEPH A. LOFTUS  
Washington, May 21 (AP)—The expected "homecoming" of John L. Lewis and his United Mine Workers to the American Federation of Labor foreshadows the early retirement of President William Green, competent observers of labor politics predicted today.

Two collateral effects also were foreseen:

A blow to the aspirations of Secretary-Treasurer George Meany to attain the AFL presidency, and the possible election of Lewis himself to that office.

Lewis is not heading back to the AFL to be a second-stringer, labor circles agree. He is expected to be out front from the very beginning.

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## AERIAL DRIVE MAY HIGHLIGHT ALLIES' PLANS

By WILLIAM FRYE

Washington, May 21 (AP)—The possibility that Allied military leaders are trying to shatter Axis Europe so completely by aerial bombardment alone that the long-threatened invasion may amount to little more than an occupation of prostrated enemy countries was read into Prime Minister Churchill's speech Thursday by some competent observers here.

A flurry of speculation was stirred up by two remarks made by Churchill, who omitted any direct reference to the long-discussed invasion. He said (1) it was "worth trying" to bring about a collapse in Germany and Italy by air power alone, and (2) the Allies must do everything "sensible and practicable" to divert Axis strength from the Russian front.

### "Victory By Air"

In view of the devastation wrought in Germany and occupied Europe by recent round-the-clock bombings, chief interest in official Washington centered around what seemed to be a hint that the cherished theory of "pure air power" enthusiasts—a victory by air alone—was being put to the test.

"Opinion is divided," Churchill said, "as to whether the use of air power could by itself bring about a collapse in Germany or Italy."

"The experiment is well worth trying, so long as other means are not excluded."

While informed persons agreed that this seemed to bode an even greater scale of bombing than anything yet seen, and to reflect a generally heightened estimate of the value of strategic bombing, they were skeptical of any deduction that invasion by ground troops would be withheld or even delayed.

More likely, they suggested, the Allied high command knows that the problems of invasion will be enormously simplified by calculated destruction beforehand, and may hope that the ground forces, when they do invade the continent, will find a demoralized foe.

## U.S. Pants Traced To Retail Stores

Harrisburg, May 21 (AP)—Testimony that shipments of government trousers were traced to retail stores in Staten Island, New York, and Wilmington, Delaware, was before a Federal jury as the trial of four Scranton men on charges of conspiracy to defraud and embezzlement continued today.

Lieut. Matthew M. Richman, former attorney for the Army's Philadelphia Quartermaster depot, told the court yesterday he found Army trousers in both stores with government labels removed and tags of the Lackawanna Pants Manufacturing company of Scranton substituted.

Theodore and Daniel Koppelman and David Greenblatt, officials of the firm, and Carmen Luongo, employee, are accused by the government of diverting goods to civilian uses and failing to return remnants to the depot as required by contracts on 190,000 pairs of Army pants.

Richman said Army inspectors reported 400 to 500 pairs of trousers had been found wrongly labeled in the factory. He then discovered 10 pairs in a New York haberdashery and 42 in a Wilmington store, he said.

## Fishermen Find Soldier's Body

Goldsboro, Pa., May 21 (AP)—Three York county fishermen recovered from the Susquehanna river yesterday the body of a soldier, identified by York County Coroner L. U. Zech as that of Donald Campbell, 35, son of Mrs. Margaret Campbell, Carbondale.

New Cumberland Army Reception center officials said Campbell has been missing since May 12, four days after he reported to the center from Wilkes-Barre. The coroner said there was no evidence of foul play.

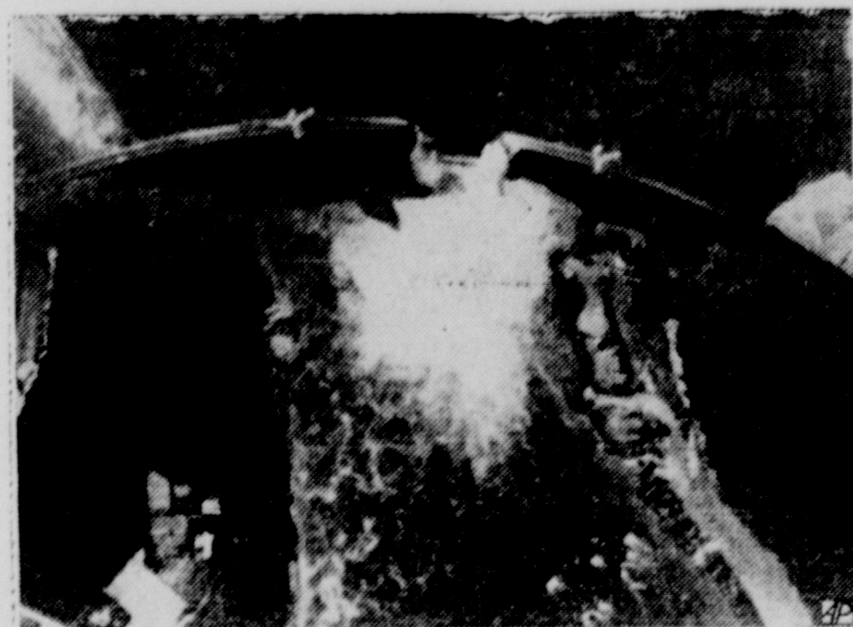
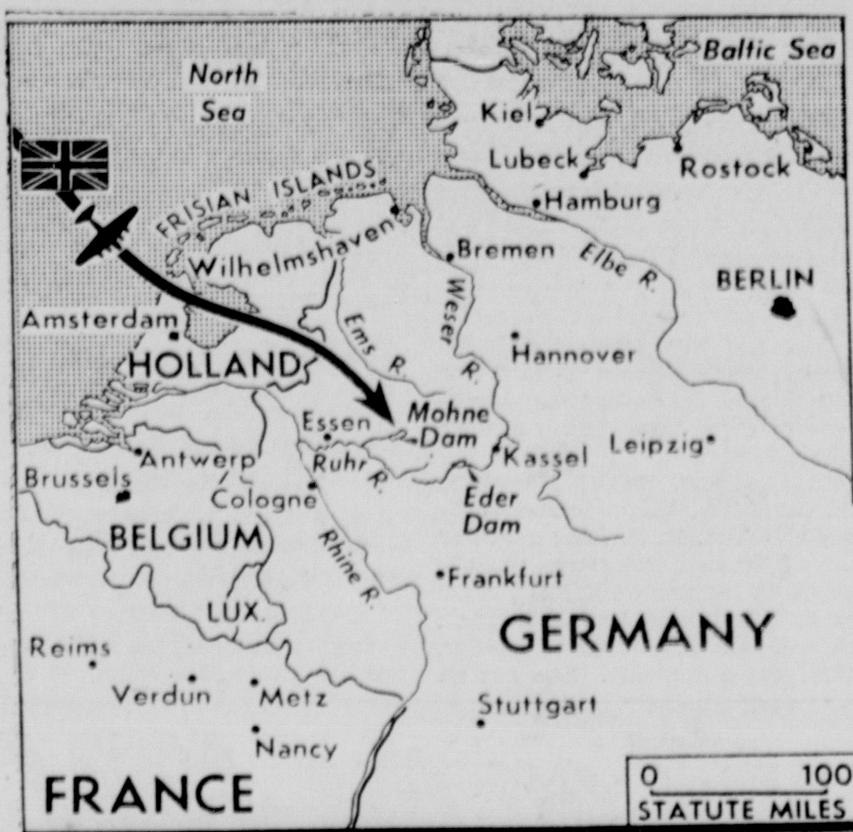
## Liberty Ship Is Named For Weiser

Baltimore, Md., May 21 (AP)—Launching of the Liberty ship "Conrad Weiser," named for a Berks county (Pa.) pioneer and Indian interpreter, was set for today, with Katherine F. Mühlenberg of Reading, a descendant of Weiser, as sponsor.

Rep. Daniel Hoch of Reading said at Washington yesterday that he and several other Berks county residents would attend.

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## British Breach German Dams



Aerial photo reveals the huge gap in the German Mohne dam made by the RAF, while map indicates strategic location of this dam and the Eder dam—both broken by British air attack. Huge areas were flooded and hydroelectric power sources destroyed. (Aerial photo by radio from London to New York.)

## New Oxford

New Oxford—Mrs. Norbert Lingg was hostess Tuesday evening when the Always Faithful class of the First Lutheran church held its regular meeting at her home.

Mrs. Sterling Bair was hostess Tuesday evening to Class No. 7 of St. Paul's Evangelical Reformed Sunday school.

Mrs. John E. C. Miller entertained fellow members of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's Evangelical Reformed church at her home during the week.

PFC Elvin Bream, stationed at Tallahassee, Florida, is on furlough at his home on route two. PFC and Mrs. Bream recently announced the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lough have returned to their home at Beaver, Pa., after visiting here at the home of his father, Harry E. Lough.

Staff Sgt. Charles Hensel, an instructor at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, is spending the week on furlough at his home here.

Laurin Sheely, son of Mrs. Esther Sheely, who has been stationed in California since his induction, has now attained the rank of acting corporal.

The graduation exercises of the local high school are scheduled to take place at the auditorium on Thursday evening, June 10. Twenty-six students will receive diplomas.

A son was born on Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Millhimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair I. Mumper, who were recently married, were guests of honor during the week at a dinner party given by her sister, Mrs. Ellis Stambaugh, at her home in Abbottstown. Present beside the guests of honor, hostess, her husband and sons, were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kopman, Mr. and Mrs. Kohr and daughter, Janet, of this place; Ralph Kopman, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berkheimer and daughter, Linda Joanne, of Abbottstown.

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Improvement is reported in the condition of Miss Ruth Sponseller, who has been away from her teaching duties at the local public school because of illness.

## Truck Movements Approach Normal

Philadelphia, May 21 (AP)—Truck movements from Cumberland county, N. J., into Philadelphia and Camden were approximately normal Thursday as a dispute between locals of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers, AFL, appeared near an end.

The Market News Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture reported truck receipts from New Jersey normal and Edward Crumback, international vice-president of the union, said that while "some trucks are being interfered with in Cumberland county" all are being unloaded and "none are being stopped in Philadelphia."

Spokesmen for several chain stores, however, said that not all deliveries were being made in the south Jersey area.

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## LEWIS ORDERS MEN TO WORK

Johnstown, Pa., May 21 (AP)—James Mark, president of District 2 of the United Mine Workers, hurried home from New York Thursday, bearing orders from UMW President John L. Lewis that striking miners must return to their jobs.

More than 4,000 were still out at nine mines. A tenth operation—the Revloc mine of the Monroe Coal company—had been closed, but its employees voted to go back to work and were doing so Thursday.

The stoppages were in defiance of Lewis' truce extension to May 31 in the contract dispute.

Spokesmen for the newest strikers, some 1,000 employees at the Lucerne, Waterman and Ernest mines of the Rochester and Pittsburgh Coal Co., declared:

### 20,000 Tons Daily

"We've been given the double cross by Ickes and the War Labor Board." Nearly 2,000 workers quit earlier in the week at three mines near Nanty Glo, Cambria county. Union leaders blamed local grievances as much as the controversy over a new contract for subsequent walkouts at Thetucker No. 15 mine at Barnesboro, the Maryland shaft of the Berwind-White Coal Co. at St. Michaels, and the Twin Rocks mine of the Big Bend Coal Co. Number of workers in these three mines totaled 1,200.

Daily production of more than 20,000 tons was halted. All the mines affected are in District 2, which includes about 45,000 miners.

## Dr. Kelso Retiring As Seminary Head

Pittsburgh, May 21 (AP)—Dr. James A. Kelso, president of Western Theological seminary since 1908, will be succeeded at the end of the term by Dr. Henry A. Riddle, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Lewistown, Pa., for the last 15 years.

Announcement of Dr. Kelso's impending retirement was made at commencement exercises last night when a class of 14 was graduated.

Doctor Kelso, who has reached the retirement age of 70, is a native of India and the author of several ecclesiastical works.

Doctor Riddle is a grandson of the late David H. Riddle, for many years pastor of the Third Presbyterian church here, and a nephew of the late Matthew B. Riddle, a professor at the seminary, 1887-1916.

Western is one of the four principal Presbyterian seminaries in the nation.

## Sole Survivor



Staff Sergeant George A. Eisel, 33, (above) of Columbus, O., was the only survivor of a plane crash in Iceland in which 14 persons including Lt. Gen. Frank M. Andrews and Methodist Bishop Adna Leonard were killed. Eisel had written his mother he was coming home from England on furlough.

## Orders No Gas For Pleasure Fishing

Trenton, N. J., May 21 (AP)—District Director Ralph W. Hackett of the Office of Price Administration said he was instructing ration boards in the seven-county Trenton district to issue no gasoline rations to owners of pleasure fishing boats.

Hackett asserted he had asked the Coast Guard to prevent any pleasure fishing boats from operating. The district director's announcement was made after Frank J. Kelly, acting Ocean county OPA director, had told nine war price and rationing boards in that county that they could issue coupons for a maximum of 450 gallons of gasoline to owners of party fishing boats for the three-month summer period.

### KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Second Army Field Headquarters, Tenn., May 21 (AP)—Pvt. Donald A. Moore of Smithville, Pa., was killed yesterday when lightning struck a tree under which he was standing.

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## 20,000 STRIKE AT CHRYSLER WAR PLANTS

Detroit, May 21 (AP)—The entire war effort of Chrysler corporation was threatened today as upwards of 20,000 members of the UAW-CIO remained away from their jobs for a second day in the most serious work stoppage in Detroit since Pearl Harbor.

A company spokesman expressed fear the strikes, which closed three plants yesterday and disrupted production in a fourth, might spread to the huge Chrysler tank arsenal. The spokesman said all 85,000 Chrysler workers in the country might be affected in a few days.

### Strikes Unauthorized

Workers at the three plants walked out in protest over what UAW-CIO President R. J. Thomas described as "legitimate and serious grievances." Thomas said, however, the strikes were not authorized and added he believed "the leaders are making a mistake trying to adjust these grievances through strikes."

Robert W. Conder, Chrysler director of labor relations, wired Thomas yesterday requesting him to urge the men to return to work.

Though the CIO chief had issued no formal back-to-work order, Leo LaMotte, UAW Chrysler director, ordered the men to return to their job.

"I will have nothing to do with the grievances of these workers until they go back to work," LaMotte said.

The walkout began at the corpora-



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## Dog Ties Traffic In Pittsburgh

Pittsburgh, May 21 (AP)—A plain white mongrel dog had his day yesterday—he tied up city traffic for 10 minutes and caused a casualty.

The dog slipped between cross-ties on Smithfield Street bridge and landed on a concrete pier. An hour later Ernest Mudge of the Animal Rescue league climbed down and brought the animal to safety.

Street car traffic halted for the rescue. Mudge is receiving treatment for a nasty cut on the head, the result of a contact with a rusty nail in a cross-tie.

tion's Jefferson-Kercheval plant and soon spread to the Dodge main plant and Dodge Lynch road plant, shutting these down completely. In addition, several thousand workers at the Dodge truck plant were made idle by a lack of materials.

The company spokesman said the Jefferson-Kercheval plant fabricates parts for every weapon made by Chrysler and warned its continued shutdown would mean eventual idleness for all Chrysler employees. Chrysler has nine plants in Detroit.

The causes of the strikes varied, but union leaders agreed "the slowness of the War Labor Board machinery" was a serious factor. Thomas placed the responsibility "completely upon the management involved."

Britain had only 25 motor torpedo boats when she entered the war in 1939.

## PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, MAY 29, 1943

Having enlisted in the United States Army, the undersigned will offer at public sale on the above date at the farm of Fred G. Troxell, located on route 116 three miles south of Fairfield, Adams County, Pa., the following:

### Live Stock

Eighteen head of cattle, consisting of ten milk cows, seven heifers and one Guernsey stock bull. Most of these cows are young and all are good milkers. There are two Holstein and fifteen Guernseys. Also one young brood sow and one shoat.

### Farming Implements

One 1941 Model B John Deere tractor on rubber and equipped with lights and starter; John Deere seven foot power take off mower on rubber; John Deere 12 in. tractor plow on rubber; John Deere corn planter with fertilizer attachment; John Deere tractor cultivators; McCormick Deering green crop hay loader; McCormick-Deering side delivery rake; seven foot double disc; cord wood saw with belt for tractor; hay fork with track and ropes. The above equipment was new within the past three years and is in excellent condition.

Three section harrow; New Ideal manure spreader with lime attachment; Deering six foot binder; ten disc Superior grain drill; Field Force sprayer with two 50 foot hose and two guns; two 1936 International trucks, one dump and one flat bed; set of 32 by 6 truck chains; two wagons; two wheel barrows; one kerosene chick brooder; grindstone; log chain, cow chains; 250 apple crates, apple baskets, picking ladders, picking bags; pruning tools; cider press; cider barrels and jugs; cross cut saws; baled straw; corn by the bushel and about two tons of loose timothy hay.

Two can ice milk cooler; 8 milk cans; milk buckets and strainer; DeLaval milker—one double unit; forks; shovels, etc.

### Household Articles

Two radios, one 32 volt, and one 110 volt; two 32 volt quarter horse motors; 32 volt light bulbs; one three burner kerosene stove with oven attached; chunk stove; two kerosene heaters; kitchen cabinet; buffet; tables; chairs; four double beds; one folding cot; one double cot; child's crib and high chair; child's desk; churn.

Apple butter and vinegar by the gallon with containers.

Sale will begin at 11:30. Terms cash.

**ROBERT W. TROXELL**

Thompson, Auctioneer

## PUBLIC SALE

Saturday, May 22, 1943

The undersigned, intending to quit farming due to ill health, will offer at Public Sale on the premises, located two miles west of Gettysburg, midway between the Chambersburg pike and the Fairfield road, the following:

### Real Estate

One hundred and twenty-seven acre farm immediate possession.

### Personal Property

Two horses, heavy bays, aged 7 and 11 years, extra good; 5 milk cows, 3 with calf by side, one fresh shortly; fall cow; 900 pound bull; red heifer, two 70 pound shoats.

Complete farming equipment; hay loader; binder; manure spreader; corn planter with phosphate attachment; corn plows; 2 wagons and hay carriage; hay rake; drill; mower; harrows; disk; roller; home-made tractor and plow; hand plows; gears; sharpless and water separators; circular wood sawing outfit; gasoline engine; bugles; blacksmith tools and anvil; single trees; double trees; forks; milk cans; gallon crocks; Victrola; buffet; 2 churns, and many other articles.

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## CHURCH SERVICES

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## Memorial United Brethren

The Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas, pastor. Bible school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Your Religion," at 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; no evening service. Wednesday, prayer service at 7:45 p. m.

## Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship at 10:45 o'clock with the Rev. Dr. Ralph D. Heim, member of the faculty of the Theological seminary, delivering the sermon; no evening service.

**Christian Science, Kadel Building**  
Service with Lesson-Sermon, "Soul and Body," at 10:30 a. m. Services the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Reading room open every Thursday from 7 to 8:30 p. m.

**St. Francis Xavier Catholic**  
The Rev. Mark E. Stock, rector. Masses Sunday at 7, 9 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; sodality meeting at 7 p. m.; Rosary and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Masses Holy days at 5:30, 7:30 and 9 a. m.

**A. M. E. Zion**  
The Rev. J. Spurrill, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, midweek service at 7:30 p. m.

**Four-square Gospel**  
The Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Myers, pastors. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.; young people's crusader meeting at 6:30 p. m.; evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, midweek service at 7:45 p. m. Saturday, prayer service from 7 to 9 p. m.

**Church of the Brethren**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Trinity Evangelical Reformed**  
The Rev. Howard Schley Fox, pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m.; divine service at 10:30 a. m.; vespers at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, meeting of the Women's Guild Circle at 7:30 p. m. Friday, junior choir at 6:30 p. m.; senior choir at 8 p. m.

**Prince of Peace Episcopal**  
The Rev. A. G. van Elden, vicar. Morning prayer and sermon at 9 a. m.; Church school at 10 a. m.

**Christ (College) Lutheran**  
The Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Religion in Action," at 10:45 a. m. Monday, Boy Scouts at 7 p. m.; meeting of Dorcas Sunday school class at 8 p. m.

**St. James Lutheran**  
The Rev. R. R. Gresh, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; junior church, in charge of Milton Raup, nursery and kindergarten at 10:30 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Loss Turned Into Gain," at 10:30 a. m.; Senior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; worship with sermon, "Why I Believe in God," at 7:30 p. m. Monday, Girl Scouts at 7 p. m. Thursday, Boy Scouts at 7 p. m.; Sunday school orchestra rehearsal at 7:30 p. m. Friday, junior choir rehearsal at 6 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal at 7 p. m. Tuesday, Mite society at 7:30 p. m.

**First Methodist**  
The Rev. Paul D. Leedy, pastor. Church school at 9:20 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p. m.; vespers at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service at the parsonage at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, midweek service at 7:30 p. m. Friday, meeting of Boy Scout troop 77 in the youth rooms at the church at 7:30 p. m.

## Waves Dance Over Night Club Floor

Pittsburgh, May 21 (AP)—Waves of the Monongahela river danced over the highly polished floor of Pittsburgh's only floating night club today.

Co-Owner Sol Heller, who herded patrons out of the Yacht club early today when it started to settle to the bottom of the river, said the man who is supposed to pump water out of the hold failed to report for work yesterday.

The pumps were manned last night, but they couldn't keep the vessel afloat and it sank in the shallow water near a wharf.

## TO HONOR WRITER

Carlisle, Pa., May 21 (AP)—Mrs. Rebecca McClure Whitehead Gibbs of Richmond, Massachusetts, writer and editor, will be one of eight persons to receive honorary degrees at Dickinson college's 170th commencement on May 23 when 37 seniors will be graduated.



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## Emanuel Reformed, Hampton

The Rev. Richard Shaffer, pastor. Worship with sermon at 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.

**Church of the Brethren, East Berlin**  
The Rev. J. Monroe Danner, elder. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

**Church of the Brethren, Latimore**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Mt. Tabor United Brethren**  
The Rev. George E. Snyder, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Cline's United Brethren**  
Worship with sermon at 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a. m.

**Mt. Zion United Brethren**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m.

**Upper Meridian Lutheran, Ground Oak**  
The Rev. P. J. Horick, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10 a. m.

**Mt. Zion Lutheran, Goodyear**  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.

**Christ Reformed, Littlestown**  
The Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; worship with sermon, "The Crowd—A Menace or an Opportunity for Service," at 10:15 a. m.; followed by workers' monthly conference.

**Salem United Brethren**  
The Rev. Dr. N. B. S. Thomas, pastor. Worship with sermon at 9 a. m.; Bible school at 10 a. m.

**First Lutheran, New Oxford**  
The Rev. George E. Sheffer, pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon, "The Engrafted Word," at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon, "I Go A-Fishing," at 7 p. m.

**Methodist, New Oxford**  
The Rev. Earl N. Rowe, pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, midweek service at 7:30 p. m.

**St. Mary's Catholic, New Oxford**  
The Rev. Robert D. Hartnett, rector. Masses at 7:30 and 10 a. m.; solemn closing of the May mission at 7:30 p. m.

**St. John's Lutheran, Hampton**  
The Rev. Elmer Drumm, pastor. Worship with sermon at 9 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.

**St. Paul's Lutheran, "The Pines"**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**St. Mark's Lutheran, Heidlersburg**  
Sunday school at 7 p. m.; worship with sermon at 8 p. m.

**St. John's Reformed, New Chester**  
The Rev. Richard Shaffer, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.

**St. Ignatius Catholic, Buchanan Valley**  
The Rev. Daniel J. Crowley, rector. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.

**Fairfield Mennonite**  
The Rev. A. W. Geigley, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Mummasburg Mennonite**  
The Revs. Amos W. Myer and Roy M. Geigley, pastors. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10 a. m.

**Great Conewago Presbyterian**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon by the Rev. U. A. Guss at 10:30 a. m.

**Marsh Creek Brethren**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Friends Grove Brethren**  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.

**Church of God, York Springs**  
The Rev. H. B. Rittenhouse, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; young people's service at 7 p. m.; worship with sermon at 8 p. m. Thursday, prayer service at 8 p. m.

**Mummasburg Mennonite**  
The Rev. A. A. Landis, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**St. Mary's Catholic, Fairfield**  
The Rev. John J. Onofrey, rector. Mass at 9 a. m.; baptisms at 1 p. m. Saturday, confessions at 4 and 7 p. m. Week-day mass at 7:30 a. m. Mass on Holy days at 5:30 and 7 a. m.

**St. Mark's Evangelical Reformed, Gettysburg R. D.**  
The Rev. Howard Schley Fox, pastor. Divine service at 9 a. m.; Church school at 10:30 a. m. Mother and Daughter social this evening at 8 o'clock.

**Trinity Evangelical Reformed, Cashtown**  
The Rev. John H. Ehrhart, pastor.

elect. Divine service at 9 a. m.; Church school at 10:30 a. m.

**St. John's Evangelical Reformed, McKnightstown**  
Church school at 9:30 a. m.

**St. John's Evangelical Reformed, Fairfield**  
Church school at 9:30 a. m.; divine service at 10:30 a. m.

**Heidlersburg United Brethren**  
The Rev. Earl J. Ensminger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Mt. Olivet United Brethren**  
Worship with sermon at 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday, midweek prayer service at 8 p. m.

**Idaville United Brethren**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Saturday, prayer service at 7:30 p. m.

**Biglerville United Brethren**  
The Rev. H. O. Sipe, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

**Bethlehem United Brethren**  
Sunday school at 2 p. m.; worship with sermon at 3 p. m.

**Sheely's United Brethren**  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Thursday, prayer service at 8 p. m.

**Mt. Carmel United Brethren**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 10:30 a. m.

**Mt. Hope United Brethren**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

**Wenksville Methodist**  
The Rev. G. W. Harrison, pastor. Worship with sermon, "Labourer Needed," at 9:30 a. m.; Church school at 10:30 a. m.

**Bendersville Methodist**  
Church school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m. followed by meeting of the official board and board of education.

**Orrtanna Methodist**  
Church school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 7 p. m.

**Zion Lutheran, Fairfield**  
The Rev. E. G. Colestock, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; The Service with Christian Family observance at 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m.

**Lower Marsh Creek Presbyterian**  
The Rev. Harry S. Ecker, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Our Encouraging Christ," at 10:30 a. m.

**Trinity Evangelical Reformed, Biglerville**  
The Rev. Ernest W. Brindle, pastor. Worship with sermon at 9 a. m.; Church school at 9:30 a. m.

**Zion Evangelical Reformed, Arendtsville**  
Church school at 10:15 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.; baccalaureate service at 7:30 p. m.

**Holtzschwamm Reformed**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

**Bermdian Church of the Brethren**  
The Rev. George W. Harlacher, elder. Sunday school in charge of the Rev. Mr. Jenkins, York, at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon by Elder Messer, Chambersburg, at 10:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 2 p. m.; worship with sermon at 7 p. m.

**Bethlehem Lutheran, Bendersville**  
Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Lutheran World Action," by the Rev. Dr. H. D. Hoover at 10 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.

**Christ Lutheran, Aspers**  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon by Dr. Hoover at 11 a. m.

**St. James Lutheran, Wenksville**  
Sunday school at 1 p. m.; worship with sermon by Dr. Hoover at 2 p. m.

**Trinity Lutheran, Arendtsville**  
Church school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.; baccalaureate service in the Reformed church at 7:30 p. m.

**Flohr's Lutheran**  
Worship with sermon at 9:30 a. m.; church school at 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m.

**Harney Lutheran**  
The Rev. Dr. W. F. Rex, supply pastor. Worship with sermon, "The

## How To Apply For Ration Book No. 3

HOW TO FILL OUT  
OPA'S MAIL APPLICATION FOR WAR RATION BOOK NO. 3

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION  
WAR RATION BOOK NO. 3 IDENTIFICATION STUB

STUB 000000

TEAR OFF THIS STUB AND KEEP IT.

TEAR OFF HERE

Form No. 1-1937

United States of America—Office of Price Administration  
APPLICATION FOR WAR RATION BOOK NO. 3

One application must be made for each group of persons who are related by blood, marriage, or adoption and who regularly live at the same address. Persons temporarily away from home (on a period of 30 days or less), such as students, traveling, hospital patients, etc., may be included in the family application. Persons living at the same address but not related by blood, marriage, or adoption must file separate applications. A person may be included in only one application for War Ration Book No. 3. Persons in the armed services, whether on sea or land, including Army, Navy, Marine, Coast Guard, and all Women's Auxiliaries, and members of organizations of volunteers, cadets, etc., are exempt from this application. Complete mailing address of the person to whom books are to be mailed. Books will be delivered by July 1, 1943, to addressees given below. Books will not be forwarded. If you are not sure of your address, please give the address of a family member. If you are not sure of your name and address, please give the address of a family member.

Print in ink or type

Name **JOHN L. DOE**

Mailing address **727 GREEN ST. SMITH MD.**

City or post office **ANYTOWN, MD.**

State **000000**

Place in the space provided below the name of the head of the family, the person in whose name the application is made, and the person to whom the books are to be mailed. If you are a member of a family group, you must give the name and address of the head of the family.

Print in ink or type Do Not Print or Tear Off

NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY **JOHN L. DOE**

NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM BOOKS ARE TO BE MAILED **727 GREEN ST. SMITH MD.**

NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM BOOKS ARE TO BE MAILED **JOHN L. DOE**

NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM BOOKS ARE TO BE MAILED **MARY K. DOE**

NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM BOOKS ARE TO BE MAILED **JAMES D. DOE**

NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM BOOKS ARE TO BE MAILED **LOUISE N. DOE**

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June 1, 1943

John L. Doe

Letter carriers are beginning to distribute these cards. They can be filled out at once, but should not be mailed before June 1, Book No. 3, which is a replacement book, will be distributed by mail beginning late in June. Reverse side of the application card has spaces for additional family names. Cards are pre-addressed to OPA mail centers. Regular letter postage - 2 or 3 cents - is required.

Cut this diagram out and use it to guide you in filling out your application card.

This application form for war ration book No. 3 and the accompanying instructions has been issued by the Office of Price Administration.

## Fairfield Station

Fairfield Station—A play entitled "Modest Apparel," will be presented

Convicting Facts," at 9:15 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:15 a. m.

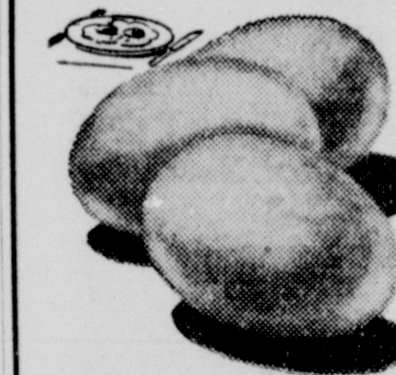
**Mt. Joy Lutheran**  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

**Francis Fleming, Washington, D. C.**, spent the week-end with his family at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baker, of Harrisburg, recently visited Mr. Baker's mother, Mrs. Mary Baker.

## Sell Us ALL Your Eggs!

WE CAN GUARANTEE YOU BETTER PRICES  
SELL THE CO-OPERATIVE WAY



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Adams County Co-operative Egg Association

At the Farm Bureau Building  
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PROMPT COLLECTIONS  
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SURPLUS PROFITS  
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COME IN AND TALK IT OVER WITH US

## OUTFITTERS

FOR THE 1943 GRADUATES

Ties, Shirts, Shoes, Socks,

Slacks, Pajamas, Hats, Suits,

and Everything for the

Young Man

**SHERMAN'S**

20 YORK STREET

GETTYSBURG, PA.

## Mummasburg

Mummasburg—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Click and sons, Ernest, Jr., and James, Mr. and Mrs. Wagoman, Miss Elizabeth Bigham, Mrs. C. Eyer and son, Robert, of Taneytown R. 1, and Mrs. Alice Elker, of Waynesboro, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shindel-decker. Miss Bigham is spending some time at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Shindel-decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kesseling and daughters, Maxine and Emma-line, and Mrs. D. P. Rife, attended the graduation exercises at the School of Nursing at the Mt. Sinai hospital, Baltimore, last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Kesseling's daughter, Betty, was a graduate. She was an

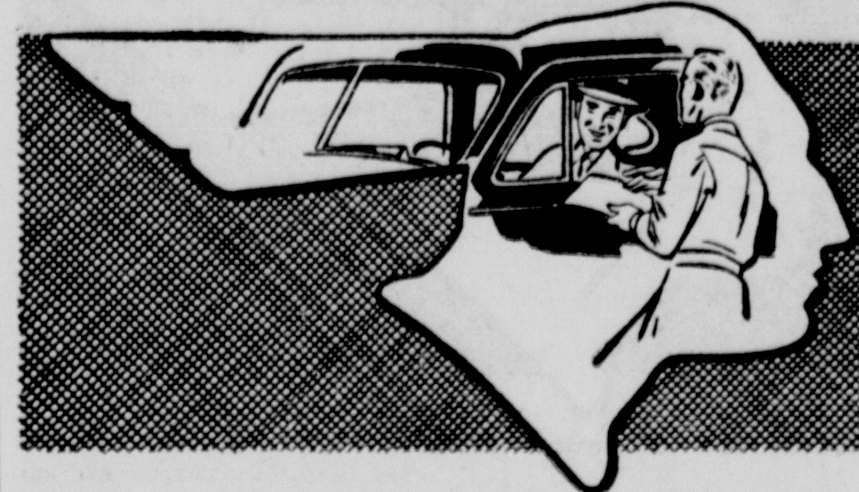
honor student having received the Dr. Jose L. Hirsch Memorial prize for the most representative nurse in the senior class.

Pvt. Francis Thomas, Jr., of Camp Thalia, Virginia, is spending several days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thomas, Sr. He also visited at the home of his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fritz.

## REGISTER ON BIRTHDAY

Harrisburg, May 21 (AP)—Youths were reminded today by Col. George H. Hafer, acting State Selective Service director, to register with local draft boards on their 18th birthday—"and not a day or two later." For those whose birthdays fall on Sundays or holidays, the official advertisement registration the following day.

## still on the JOB!



We are happy to be able to state that the mechanic shortage has not yet seriously affected our ability to render good service.

In some instances, more time might be required. But we still have men on the job—and they are competent men, too! Benefited by factory-developed service instructions, using genuine parts and special time-saving tools, they can be of great value to you and your car. Why not use them?

## 5 Points to Remember:

- We still have competent mechanics
- We still use genuine parts
- We still check your car without charge
- We have specially-designed tools to reduce repair time
- We want to be helpful in your transportation problems

## Pontiac Service

100 York Street URRICH MOTOR CO. Gettysburg, Pa.

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

Government Lifts Restrictions on Re-roofing and Re-siding with Asbestos Shingles

Special Ruling Is Made to

Meet Critical War Problems\*

MANY home owners have been postponing re-roofing and re-siding for their homes because of their fear that only temporary materials would be available. Many others have obtained the impression that to have such work done would be contrary to the interest of winning the war.

If your home needs re-roofing, if the sidewalls need painting or repair, a special W. P. B. ruling just issued removes the restrictions on the use of asbestos shingles for this purpose. There is no longer any reason for you to postpone having this work done.

## Pre-War Quality — Pre-War Prices

Johns-Manville Asbestos Shingles are manufactured to the same fireproof, durable quality standards as before the war. They are available at pre-war prices, too.

If your home needs painting or repair, we recommend J-M Asbestos Siding Singles. They need no preservative treatment—are fireproof—permanent as stone—and will completely transform the appearance of your home. If you need a new roof, we recommend J-M Asbestos Roofing Shingles. They have the same desirable maintenance-free qualities.

Protect your home for today and for the future. We will be glad to show you samples of the new styles and new textures of these colorful shingles.

\* Long asbestos spinning fibres are an essential material in many war products. In mining asbestos, for every ton of long asbestos fibre, many tons of shorter fibre must be produced. This shorter fibre must be utilized, and its principal use is in the manufacture of asbestos shingles. Restrictions were therefore lifted to increase the use of asbestos shingles and thereby insure an adequate supply of long asbestos fibre vitally needed for war.

## I. H. CROUSE &amp; SONS

Cor. Walnut & Lumber Sts. Littlestown, Pa.

Phone 51-J

## Notice to Citizens of Biglerville

Due to necessary repairs on our boilers it will be impossible to use the steam whistle for air raid warning from 1 A. M. Saturday, May 22nd, to 1 A. M. Monday, May 24. During this time the siren will be used in case of air raids, or test air raids. The code for the siren will be the same as used on the steam whistle or as near as possible.

C. H. MUSSELMAN CO.  
Ernest E. Unger, C. D. Co-Ordinator

## MEDFORD PRICES

STORE HOURS 8 A. M. TO 6 P. M. DAILY

Molasses Feed \$1.95 bag  
Paper Shingles \$2.98  
5 gals. Roof Paint pail \$1.39  
Red Barn Paint 98c gal.  
5 gal. bucket Roof Paint \$1.39

50-lb. can Lard 17c lb.

Horse Collars \$1.39  
Gasoline 18c gal.  
Kerosene 9c gal.  
Sugar 6c lb.  
House Paint, gal. can 98c  
Cracked Corn \$2.50 bag  
100 lbs. Shelled Corn \$2.40 bag  
Shelled Corn \$1.35 bu.  
Wilson Soy Beans \$2.45 bu.  
Manchu Soy Beans \$2.65 bu.  
Pig and Hog Meal, bag \$2.55  
Barley Chop, bag \$2.50

Oats Chop \$2.35 bag

3 cans King Pin Lye for 25c  
3 cans Watch Dog Lye 25c  
Babbitt's Lye 11c can  
Raisins 15c lb.  
Prunes 13c lb.  
Tomato Plants \$4.50 per 1000  
Tomato Plants \$3.75 per 1000  
6-14-7 Fertilizer \$25.50 ton  
4-12-4 Fertilizer \$30.00 ton  
2-12-6 Fertilizer \$26.80 ton  
Alpine Pure Linseed Oil Paint \$2.25 gal.  
Linseed Oil \$1.30 gal.  
Venetian Red 4c lb.  
Central House Paint 98c gal.  
Utility Paint \$1.25 gal.  
Spotlight Paint \$1.98 gal.  
Alco Lead Titanium and Zinc Paint \$2.48 gal.  
Harness Oil 98c gal.

Red Barn Paint 98c gal.

5 gal. Pail Black Roof Paint \$1.39  
Casine Wall Paint \$1.98 gal.  
Floor and Deck Paint \$1.39 gal.

Stock Feed Molasses 33c gal.

Just received car load Chaney Protected 26 Gauge Corrugated Roofing \$12.00 square

Electric Fence Batteries \$1.98  
Soy Bean Meal \$2.65 bag  
Meat Scrap \$3.25 bag  
Pig and Hog Meal \$2.75 bag  
Calf Meal \$1.20 bag

5-gal. Milk Cans \$4.25

10-gal. Milk Cans \$5.75  
Pt. Bottle Korum 90c  
Qt. Bottle Korum \$1.50  
Gallon Bottle Korum \$4.50  
Wood Burning Brooders \$22.50  
Russell Baby Chick Spray 65c bot.



## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

## COST

The rate for all classified advertisements is 15 words one insertion, 20 cents, and TWO CENTS EACH WORD thereafter. Advertisements of political nature, 12 words for 50 cents or 6 cents each word thereafter. All classified advertisements should be in by 11 A. M. to insure publication.

PHONES 640-641-642

## FOR SALE GENERAL

DO NOT BE CAUGHT SHORT ON a coal heater or range, now or for next fall. We still have ranges and circulating heaters on hand. Buy now. Trade-In Furniture Exchange, 55 W. Clarke, near York Supply Company, York, Pa.

FOR SALE: REGISTERED Holstein bull, three years old, gentle. Gettysburg 934-R-23, L. A. Elliott, Mineral Orchards, McKnightstown.

FOR SALE: GOOD EATING, young white chickens, alive or dressed. Hannah Ulrich, Gettysburg R. 5. Phone 968-R-2.

FOR SALE: CHESTER WHITE sow and eight pigs, six weeks old; 1928 Chevrolet car, good condition; also—McCormick Deering riding plow. Carson Spielman, Hunterstown.

FOR SALE: TWENTY-ONE PIGS, thoroughbred on both sides. Charles M. Coffelt, Highland Park.

FOR SALE: BICYCLES CONOVER—The Lawn Mower Doctor.

FRONT DOOR REGULAR SIZE, all hardware, panel door. Murray Sheards at Fabers.

FOR SALE: 350 HEAVY WHITE Leghorn yearling hens, laying 60 per cent \$1.75 each. Ivan T. Straley, Gettysburg R. 2. Phone 972-R-15.

FOR SALE: 2½-POUND LEHIGH fryers. Mervin Sharran, Bendersville, call evenings.

FOR SALE: TWO CABINS AT Green Mountain Inn. Inquire John Albert, Gardners R. 2.

FOR SALE: THREE METAL BEDS with springs, single bed with coil springs and mattress, dresser, dining room suite. Phone 365-X.

FOR SALE: USED LIVING ROOM suite. Sherman Brothers make. Inquire 224 York street.

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT: TWO MODERATELY furnished bedrooms, one block from the square. Call after 7:30 p. m. phone 627-W.

FOR RENT: ONE-HALF HOUSE, four rooms, in Aspers. Apply evenings. 49 West Middle street.

FOR RENT: STONE BUNGALOW close to Gardners on hard road, four rooms and kitchenette, fireplace, garden and truck patch. Apply Harry Cline.

FOR RENT: PRACTICALLY NEW house, four rooms and bath, hot water heating plant, adults preferred. Apply 206 South Stratton street.

FOR RENT: FOUR ROOM BUNGALOW. Inquire John Shultz, Natural Springs, Lincoln Highway east.

## MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED: NIGHT PORTER. Hotel Gettysburg.

## "Like Hot Cakes"

The tempting offers listed in the Classified Ad column every day are snapped up "like hot cakes" by eager buyers. If you see something that appeals to you, don't hesitate to act at once before someone else takes the opportunity.

## MARKETS Local Prices

## Gettysburg-Grain-Eggs

Market prices at the Gettysburg warehouse and the Egg Co-op association, corrected daily, are as follows:

Wheat	\$1.50
Barley	.92
Corn	.87
White Eggs	.37
Brown Eggs	.37
White Eggs	.38½

BALTIMORE EGGS—Nearby ungraded, 67 pounds up, offered 46-48c.

## Baltimore-Poultry-Livestock

LIVE POULTRY—Includes commission. Receipts very light. Market firm. Broilers and fryers, 30-32c.; fowl, 27-28c.

CATTLE—325; 75 holdovers not included. Slaughter steers slow, steady to weak; heifers scarce, steady; cows moderately active, steady; bulls scarce, steady; truck lot choice 1,000-1,100 pounds steers, \$17; early lot; bulk mostly good to choice, \$16.50-17.00; medium, \$15.50-16.00; common and medium, \$14.50-15.50; small lot mixed yearlings, \$16; fed medium heifers, \$13-14; cull cows, \$12-13; cull and common, \$9-11; medium, \$11.50-12.50; couple head, \$13-13.50; fed bulk unselectable, \$15-16; medium and good heavy sausage bulls, \$13.75-14.50; lightweights, \$12-13.50; no stockers or feeders offered. CALVES—150; active, steady; choice, \$17-17.50; medium and good, \$14-15.50; cull and common, \$8-12; common and medium weighty slaughter calves, \$11-14. HOGS—120. Active; barrows, pigs and sows, 10-14; practical loss, \$14.85; 120-130 pounds, \$15.25-15.50; 130-140 pounds, \$15.75-16.10; 140-150 pounds, \$16.25-16.50; 150-160 pounds, \$16.75-17.00; 160-180 pounds, \$17.25-17.50; 180-200 pounds, \$17.75-18.00; 200-240 pounds, \$18.25-18.50; 240-260 pounds, \$18.75-19.00; 260-300 pounds, \$19.25-19.50; 300-350 pounds, \$19.75-20.00; 350-400 pounds, \$20.25-20.50; 400-450 pounds, \$20.75-21.00; 450-500 pounds, \$21.25-21.50; 500-550 pounds, \$21.75-22.00; 550-600 pounds, \$22.25-22.50; 600-650 pounds, \$22.75-23.00; 650-700 pounds, \$23.25-23.50; 700-750 pounds, \$23.75-24.00; 750-800 pounds, \$24.25-24.50; 800-850 pounds, \$24.75-25.00; 850-900 pounds, \$25.25-25.50; 900-950 pounds, \$25.75-26.00; 950-1,000 pounds, \$26.25-26.50; 1,000-1,050 pounds, \$26.75-27.00; 1,050-1,100 pounds, \$27.25-27.50; 1,100-1,150 pounds, \$27.75-28.00; 1,150-1,200 pounds, \$28.25-28.50; 1,200-1,250 pounds, \$28.75-29.00; 1,250-1,300 pounds, \$29.25-29.50; 1,300-1,350 pounds, \$29.75-30.00; 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Gene Krupa, well-known orchestra leader, climbs into a police patrol car to be taken to the county jail at San Francisco to serve a 90-day sentence. Krupa also was fined \$500 on his plea of guilty to a misdemeanor charge in a narcotics accusation.

#### Property Transfers

J. Francis, Jr., and Vivian Strayer Yake, McSherrystown, sold to John H. and Mary B. Tawney, same place, a property in Reading township.

Levi A. and Julia I. Ogburn, Strabon township, sold to Ray E. and Vena Ogburn, Lanham, Maryland, a four-acre property in Strabon township.

Minnie C. and John D. Wolf, Strabon township, sold to Ray E. and Elizabeth Pauline Myers, Reading township, a four-acre property in Butler township.

Charles E. and Rosa C. Dinterman, York, sold to Charles J. and Helen E. Weichert, Manchester township, York county, a lot in Reading township.

John S. and Dorothy E. Ogden, Cumberland township, sold to R. E. and Grace M. Russey, North Miami, Florida, a lot in Cumberland township.

Harry E. and Alice Harbaugh, Hamilton township, sold to Lewis H. and Mary L. Clark, same place, two properties totaling four acres in Hamilton township.

Lewis H. and Mary L. Clark, Hamilton township, sold to Paul E. Jr., and Betty J. Seabrook, Liberty township, a two-acre property in Liberty township.

Harry E. Snyder, Tyrone township, sold to Howard L. Hutton, Bendersville, and G. Edwin Motter, Tyrone township, a 97-acre property in Tyrone township.

Glenn A. and Hattie C. Slaybaugh, Franklin township, sold to C. T. and Sarah M. Painter, Butler township, an 103-acre property in Butler township.

Martin L. and Mary E. Yohe, Hamilton township, sold to George E. and Mary Blanche Diehl, Penn township, York county, two properties containing eight acres in Hamilton township.

Aston and Edith Chorley, Latimore township, sold to Mrs. Mae L. Trump, same place, a lot in York Springs.

Cleve and Florence D. Stambaugh, Mt. Joy township, sold to Leo R. and Carrie O. Scott, same place, an 84-acre property in that township.

Arthur A. and Florence A. Straley, Germany township, sold to Hobson D. and Pauline E. Crouse, Cumberland township, a 16-acre property in Germany township.

Donald J. and Elizabeth P. Cooke, Phoenixville, sold to Philip J. and Mabel M. Baral, Philadelphia, a 59-acre property in Strabon township.

Cleve and Florence D. Stambaugh, Mt. Joy township, sold to Leo R. and Carrie O. Scott, same place, an 84-acre property in that township.

State Lutheran Ministerium Meets

Attentown, Pa., May 21 (AP)—The 196th annual convention of the Lutheran Ministerium of Pennsylvania and adjacent states, which opens Monday in St. John's church, will elect a president to succeed Dr. E. P. Pratteicher, head of the Ministerium from 1926 until his death this year.

Readjustment of boundaries also will come before the four-day convention, which will be attended by delegates from nearly 600 congregations.

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#### STUDY MILK SUBSIDY PLAN

Harrisburg, May 21 (AP)—Milk dealers in five eastern Pennsylvania milk marketing areas today studied federal offers of subsidies to offset OPA's recent refusal to approve one-cent-a-quart increases in milk prices to consumers.

John M. McKee, state Milk Control Commission chairman, said subsidies ranging from 33 to 40 cents per hundredweight for class "A" or home-delivered milk have been offered 800 dealers in suburban Philadelphia, Harrisburg, Lehigh, York and Schuylkill areas.

Milk in the five districts sells at retail for 14 cents a quart. The milk commission orders raising the price to 15 cents were approved and later revoked by the OPA under President Roosevelt's "hold the line" order.

"If these areas give up demands for retail price increases," explained McKee yesterday in an interview, "the federal government through the Community Credit Corporation has agreed to pay the subsidies." He added dealers "might not come out as well" as they would if the prices for all types of milk were increased.

#### New Compromise In Tax Plan Expected

Washington, May 21 (AP)—A compromise on tax abatement ranging between 50 and 75 per cent of a year's levies was predicted by some members as a joint conference committee sat down today for its second attempt to unravel the House-Senate snarl over "pay-as-you-go" revenue legislation.

A Senate conferee who declined to be quoted by name said the 14 members seemed to be leaning toward some tax forgiveness short of the full year's liabilities envisioned in the much-disputed Ruml plan.

There were indications that if an agreement is reached, a plan advanced unsuccessfully in the Senate by Chairman George (D-Ga.) of the Finance committee, for cancellation of 75 per cent of the lesser of either 1942 or 1943 taxes, might become the vehicle for a compromise.

#### Two Funerals Will Reduce Driving

Pittsburgh, May 21 (AP)—Two funeral services will be held for Joe C. Trees, oil producer, so that friends short of gasoline will be able to attend. Trees died suddenly Wednesday afternoon.

Rites will be held at 2 p. m. tomorrow at his Treesdale farms home in nearby Gibsonia and at 1 p. m. Sunday in H. Samson's Funeral home, Pittsburgh.

#### FIRE AT COLEBROOK

Colebrook, Pa., May 21 (AP)—Second floor rooms of historic Colebrook mansion, built in 1734 and once owned by Robert Coleman, early Pennsylvania ironmaster, were in ruins today after fire started by lightning swept the upper part of the sandstone structure.

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#### AID OF POLICE SOUGHT BY OPA IN DRIVING BAN

Harrisburg, May 21 (AP)—Cooperation of state and local police in enforcement of the new pleasure driving ban was sought today by the Harrisburg district Office of Price Administration.

Charles L. Ware, chief enforcement attorney, said the OPA planned to request aid from State Police Commissioner C. M. Wilhelm and the police chiefs of Harrisburg, Lancaster, York and other communities in keeping automobile driving in the 10-county area to a necessary minimum.

Commissioner Wilhelm said yesterday state police stood ready to help enforcement and that whatever steps are found necessary will be taken when the request is received.

Ware said instructions from OPA in Washington called for stricter enforcement than during the earlier ban and added that in certain instances automobiles will be stopped on highways by uniformed men if it is believed drivers are violating the ban.

#### Stop Cars In Phila.

OPA agents also have been assigned to continue the check-up at amusement places which recently resulted in the taking of the license numbers of 600 automobiles. Ware said interviews with owners of those vehicles are resulting in citation of about 10 per cent of them for hearings on charges of violating rationing regulations.

At Philadelphia approximately 500 automobiles were stopped at the Delaware river bridge last night and OPA agents said nearly 100 were called for hearings. Other checks were made at various places of amusement in the city.

Excuses not heard since the "honor system" went into effect for motorists—going shopping, "visiting a sick friend" and the like—were given by most of those stopped, the agents said.

Hainan Island, off South China, has a population of three million persons.

#### PUBLIC SALE

Real Estate and Personal Property of Annie E. Kappes, deceased Saturday, June 19, 1943 1 o'clock, P. M.

The undersigned, administrator of the estate of Annie E. Kappes, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased, pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams County, Pennsylvania, duly entered on May 17, 1943, authorizing the sale of decedent's real estate for the payment of debts, will offer at public sale at one o'clock P. M., Saturday, June 19, 1943, on the premises in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, the following described lot of ground with the improvements thereon situate, lying, and being in said Borough of Gettysburg and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at the east property line on North Stratton Street at corner of lot of C. G. Taughinbaugh; thence by said Taughinbaugh lot south eighty-nine and one-fourth (89 1/4) degrees east, one hundred sixty (160.0) feet to a public alley; thence along said alley south four and one-half (4 1/2) degrees west, thirty (30) feet; thence north eighty-nine and one-fourth (89 1/4) degrees west, one hundred sixty (160.0) feet to the east property line on North Stratton Street; thence by said North Stratton Street north four and one-half (4 1/2) degrees east, thirty (30) feet to the place of BEGINNING.

Said land will be sold free and clear of all liens and encumbrances. Terms: Twenty per centum payable in cash at the time of sale, balance payable in cash upon final confirmation of the sale by said Orphans' Court at which time a deed will be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers.

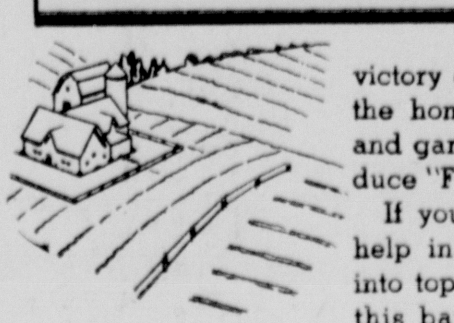
At the same time and place the undersigned will sell for cash the following personal property of the decedent, to-wit:

Two living room suites, rug, Victrola, clothes tree, six living room chairs, divan, side board, Kitchen furniture, four chairs, rug, dresser, wardrobe, two stands, one chair, one dresser, one chest, one stand, one cupboard, five beds, miscellaneous bedroom furniture, miscellaneous kitchenware and many other household articles too numerous to mention.

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